

# ENGLAND MUST PAY FOR DAMAGES TO AMERICAN TRADE

## OFFICIAL NOTE CALLS FOR ULTIMATE INDEMNIFICATIONS

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## PRESIDENT DISTRESSED BY CANADIAN BORDER INCIDENT

## SHOOTING IS REPORTED TO AMBASSADOR

Washington, Dec. 29.—The shooting of two American hunters by Canadian soldiers on the Niagara river near Fort Erie, yesterday, is viewed by President Wilson with deep distress. He told callers today he had received no formal report on the incident and hoped the accounts of the circumstances had been exaggerated.

Secretary Bryan instructed the American vice-consul at Fort Erie to take possession of the body of the man killed and to do everything possible for the man wounded. The state department has reported the incident to Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador here. Only a brief report of the incident came to the state department today from the vice-consul at Fort Erie. The papers have been laid before the state department solicitor who probably will await report on the action of the coroner's jury.

## REFUSED EMPLOYMENT, ROBS COMPANY'S SAFE

Cleveland, O., Dec. 29.—Daniel Need, manager of a coal company's branch office in Lakewood, was bound to a chair in the company's office at noon today by a robber who took \$121, all the money he could find in the safe, and escaped.

## Bullet Intended For Another Kills Child

Millsville, N. J., Dec. 29.—The mystery surrounding the killing last night of Beatrice Bailey, six years old, who was struck by a bullet that came through a window at the home of her grandmother, where she was spending the holidays was cleared up today, when George Hahn, 29, confessed, according to the police, that he had accidentally shot the

## Big Trade Coming Soon

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 29.—Roger Bresnahan, manager of the Chicago National league team, arrived here today and will arrange for a conference with August Herrmann, president of the Cincinnati National league club, to discuss a trade or purchase of players. Before seeing Herrmann, Bresnahan met Charles P. Taft, owner of the majority of stock of the Chicago club.

## TAKE TARIFF OUT OF POLITICS

New York, Dec. 29.—Norman B. Mack, former chairman of the Democratic National Committee, and now member for this state, commenting on the plan of Representative Mann of Illinois, minority leader of the house of representatives, for a congressional tariff commission, today made a statement in which he said he believed "the Democrats should go even farther and name a tariff commission with power to take the tariff out of politics entirely."

## Woman Gets \$50 A Day To Tell State How To Build Hospital



Miss Mabel McCalmont, hospital consultant, is worth \$50 a day to the state of New York. So the Department of Efficiency and Economy has decided, valuing her services in advising on the construction of the big state hospital in Poughkeepsie at that amount. Miss McCalmont is an expert in hospital equipment. Miss McCalmont won her first experience in this line in the Philippine Islands, where she assisted in the construction of many government hospitals.

## STUDENTS ENROLL FOR PROHIBITION

Topeka, Kas., Dec. 29.—Assembled to further the fight against liquor through a systematic campaign by college students, nearly a thousand delegates took part in the opening here today of the national convention of the Inter-Collegiate Prohibition Association.

## DONAHEY SOUNDS WARNING AGAINST BIG APPROPRIATIONS BY ASSEMBLY

Points Out That Public Debt of \$58.62 Hangs Over Head of Every Person In The State

Columbus, O., Dec. 29.—A note of warning against big appropriations by the next general assembly which will convene Monday, and against increasing volume of expenditures by counties, municipalities and other subdivisions of the state, was sounded today by State Auditor A. V. Donahey, in a statement which will form part of his annual report.

He presents figures showing that in 1914 state taxes collected amounted to five times the taxes collected in 1870, county and city taxes increased 4 1/2 times, and since 1890 debts of municipalities,

counties, townships and school districts have increased sevenfold. Between 1870 and 1914 the population only doubled.

state in effect made a sacred covenant with the people in 1911 that if they would list all their property for what it actually was worth, the state would guarantee that tax rates in Ohio never would be permitted to become excessive.

## WOULD PUT POWER OF WAR DECLARATION UPON PEOPLE

Washington, Dec. 29.—Aggressive warfare by the United States would be possible only on approval of a majority of the voters of the country under an constitutional amendment proposed today by Senator Owen. The power of the president to call on troops to resist invasion would not be altered, but declaration of an offensive war would have to be submitted to a referendum.

## U. S. GUNBOAT IS SENT TO MEXICO

On Board U. S. S. San Diego, (Enroute to San Diego, Calif., Dec. 29).—By Wireless. Seven thousand troops of General Carranza's forces declared today for General Villa at Tepic, in the state of that name on the west coast of Mexico. Foreigners at San Blas and Tepic have taken refuge aboard the U. S. supply ship Glacier. Rear Admiral Hovey in command of the Pacific fleet on receipt of the news ordered the gunboat Annapolis by wireless to San Blas.

## CONOVER WILL NOT RECOGNIZE FACTIONS

Columbus, Dec. 29.—That he will not recognize anything such as factions in the Republican party, in the assignment of house members to places on committees or in his conduct as speaker in any way, was the statement today of Representative Charles D. Conover, of Champlain county, nominated by the Republican caucus yesterday afternoon for speaker of the house, which will convene in regular session next Monday.

## VOTE FOR RECALL OF SALEM MAYOR

Salem, Mass., Dec. 29.—Although the weather was bad, a large vote was anticipated at the mayoralty recall election today. Mayor John F. Hurley, whose recall is sought by the Better Government Association, has served two years of his fifth term. The present charter under which he was elected, provides for a three year term and stipulates that whenever the required number of citizens sign a recall petition, the mayor must stand against some other candidate at a special election. Mayor Hurley's opponent today was M. J. O'Keefe, a manufacturer. The leaders of the recall movement charged that the liquor laws had not been properly enforced.

## EMBARRASSMENT CAUSED GOVERNMENT BY SHIPPERS CONCEALING CONTRABAND

Washington, Dec. 29.—President Wilson referring today to the American note to Great Britain insisting on better treatment for American commerce, declared that large damages eventually would have to be paid by England for unlawful detention of American cargoes.

The President coupled a confirmation of this morning's publication of the sending of the note and of its contents with the statement that the government could deal confidently with the subject, only is supported by absolutely honest manifests. He said the great embarrassment to the government in dealing with the whole matter was that some shippers had concealed contraband in the cargoes of non-contraband articles, for example, under a cargo of cotton. So long as there was instances of this kind, the President said, suspicion was cast on every shipment and all cargoes were liable to doubt and search.

The President pointed out that many protests previously had been sent in specific cases and that if the contention of the American government were correct, as he was firmly convinced it was, plans for indemnification ultimately would have to be met by great Britain.

Supplementary to previous protests the new note, President Wilson explained, represented fully the position of the United States, saying that so far as theory was concerned, there really was no debate on the point raised, because England herself in previous

wars had taken exactly the American position. The President was asked if the communication sent to Great Britain was the result of the recent gathering of Pan-American diplomats here. He said it was. (Continued on Page 3.)

## GERMANS ROUTED IN A FURIOUS 20 MINUTE BAYONET ENCOUNTER

Arras, Northern France, Sunday, Dec. 27.—(via Paris, delayed in transmission).—That portion of the French army which is holding the line near Arras today attacked the Germans on a front twelve miles long. They carried half a mile of German trenches near Lens by assault, and tonight they are holding these positions in force. The way for this attack was prepared for by violent artillery and machine gun fire, which swept the German positions from a point to the north of Lens to the suburb south of Arras. The German batteries everywhere replied bravely to this French fire.

## COX WORKING ON MESSAGE

Columbus, O., Dec. 29.—Governor Cox is hard at work on his message to the general assembly, which will be sent to that body immediately after it convenes next Monday. In it he will urge the strictest economy and that the appropriations be kept within the estimates prepared by State Budget Commissioner W. O. Hoffmann, who, it will be held, has pared them down to the lowest minimum possible. Reference will be made in the message to the enactment of progressive laws, which were put on the statute books in fulfillment of the constitutional mandates.

## MOTIVE IN PHILLIPINE TROUBLE

Washington, Dec. 29.—President Wilson told callers today that his support of the Jones bill for ultimate Philippine independence would not be altered by the recent disturbances in the islands. He declared accounts of the uprising had undoubtedly been exaggerated.

## N. CAROLINA COMMANDER EXPLAINS

Washington, Dec. 29.—Captain Oman, commander of the armored cruiser North Carolina, at Beirut, Syria, informed the navy department today that it was a Russian cruiser and not an American vessel which recently threatened to bombard Tripoli.

Captain Oman reported that no American merchant vessel has been south of Alexandria, Syria, since December 9. An Athens dispatch, published last week, said the crew of an American steamer had been attacked at Tripoli, south of Alexandria, when foreign consuls and refugees attempted to board her, and that the North Carolina had threatened to bombard the town.

Mrs. Charles Huber, who has been ill at her home on Third street, is improving.



This is the season when a fellow is supposed to take an inventory of his personal faults and try to decide which one to leave off this year or at least during the first week of the year. I ain't settled on anything for myself yet—but I reckon I will in a day or so. Most of us can find something we'd better off with, out. There's far tomorrow: Ohio—Rain, turning to snow and much colder tonight. Wednesday partly cloudy and much colder, with a cold wave. Kentucky—Rain, followed by clearing much colder tonight; Wednesday fair and colder; cold wave.

## **If You Join The Central National Bank Christmas Club Which Starts January 18, 1915**

**YOU HAVE EVERYTHING TO GAIN**

**In case you discontinue payments you will receive the full amount you have paid when the Club closes---about December 18th, when the fund will be disbursed and everybody belonging will get their money.**

**PAYMENTS MUST BE MADE EVERY WEEK, OR MAY BE MADE IN ADVANCE EVERYBODY IS WELCOME TO JOIN.**

## Gallia Street Square

## WHO WILL DONATE USE OF LAND FOR MISSION?

Mr. Dibert has been planning for this innovation some time, and believes that if he can only secure the land he can get all the fertilizing material he will need free of charge, and is positive that he can sell all the garden stuff that he can raise at good prices.

Here is a chance for some one to boost a practical charity.

## TELEPHONE SOLVES LONG DISTANCE SALES PROBLEM

"Don't think, however, that I'm going to abandon the rattle and the wires," he went on. "I am a strong believer in the personal touch. But I have certainly proved to my satisfaction that the two can be worked together successfully at all times and that the telephone is a life-saver when business is on a slump."

**Gets Fine Present**

"Surest thing we know, he open up—we're not only willing but anxious to glow with you."  
"This," he said, clipping off the end of a fresh cigar, "is not, you probably know, our busy season in the best of times. No large contracts are being let and the ginger is out of the business. There is, however, a certain amount of steady trade that must be looked after all the year round and it is this trade that, in normal seasons, enables us to hold our sales force intact and ready for use when our big game seasons open."

Orders from the regular trade began falling off " fortnight back; fruitless trips were made throughout our middle-west territory and the expense of those trips was eating up the profits at an alarming rate. I could not think of smashing my sales force, but orders were out to reduce expenses—what was I to do?

Employees of the N. & W. are going to start the new year right as their pay checks will arrive Friday morning, January 1, it was stated, Monday. And with the ushering in of the new year the employees have high hopes of working steadier in the future than they have the past few months.

## Broke His Left Arm

Was Given  
Angora Cat

The "old guard" of the Don't Worry Club has taken over the rooms on Market street formerly occupied by the Alhambra Club and will equip them with new furniture and in a few days will open a first class clubhouse in which many of the West End young men will be interested.

Cornelia Meister, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Meister, of 112 Eighth street, feels very grateful to Dr. W. E. Gault for a little Angora kitten he sent her for Christmas. No other dolls have a kitten while the kitten has a mother.

## Starts Off With Rush

**Was Given  
Transportation**

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Miss Maud Cole, aged 35, furnished with transportation from by the city authorities Monday evening. The young man claimed to have formerly worked at the Clatts house and that she had friends in London. She is working her way out to her old home in Virginia, easy stages. London authorities called up the local police office.

**Was a Visitor**  
 "I have been," Mr. Campbell, of  
 Oliver, Ky., was a business visitor  
 to the city Monday.

**In West Virginia**  
 "A. J. Wells," of Morgantown,  
 W. Va., on business, was in  
 the city.

## Editor In The City

A. P. Haight, editor and publisher of the Carter County News at Grayson, Ky., was a caller at the Times office Tuesday. He is visiting local friends.

**Was Up The River**  
R. E. Scott, passenger agent of the N. & W., has returned from a business trip to Huntington and London.

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While walking along Chillicothe street Tuesday morning, Cal Cooper, of 2222 Chillicothe street, slipped, and in the fall broke his left arm below the elbow.

**Sent To Infirmary**

Hiram Pierce, of No. 1105 Mill street, and Stanley Cooper, of Buffalo, N. Y., were committed to the county infirmary Tuesday. The latter had been given temporary shelter at the Wesley Hall Mission. Persons warranted over to the county authorities for refusal were: William Evans, No. 11 Waller street; Sam Kelley, of Kendall avenue; the Jenkins family of No. 201 Eleventh street.

**Pets Held Sale.**

Deputy Sheriff Pete Smith was at Harrisonville Monday, conducting a sale of a horse, a buggy and a pair of harness belonging to Anna Pyle, which was levied upon a couple of weeks ago to satisfy a writ of execution obtained by Everett Schumper. The sale was conducted at James Reiley's place at Harrisonville, where the horse and buggy have been quartered since taken in custody by the sheriff.

"This is what I did do. I wrote our salesmen, forty of them, to go to their homes; make up lists of their regular customers and call on a certain number of them each day over the long distance telephone. I have just received a tabulation of the result of the two weeks' telephone solicitation scheme which shows that we obtained more business than during the preceding two weeks and that there has been an actual saving of close to \$1,000 in traveling expenses after deducting telephone calls—and, our sales organization is intact. Do you wonder that I feel happy?"

Resolve to Save By  
Using  
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BODY CLEANSER

With extra-fragrant, flower  
base containing all elements  
of sweet health profession-  
ally charged. Use a  
bottle.

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# Did You Get Money For Xmas?

Invest it wisely by buying something to wear.  
One of our OVERCOATS, BALMACAANS OR SUITS  
would be a safe and sane return for your money.

Then we have Ties, Hose, Shirts, Hats, Underwear,

## The Famous

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**The Royal Savings and  
Loan Company**

DON'T MISS THE  
**LYRIC**  
HIGH CLASS PICTURES

TONIGHT  
"THE GRIP OF  
THE PAST"  
Lubin Two Part Drama  
"THE GIRL AT  
THE THROTTLE"  
Stirring Railroad Story

Come Early TOMORROW Come Early  
George Kleine's magnificent production of Marie Curdie's  
**"VENDETTA"**  
10—FIVE WONDERFUL PARTS—10c  
DAVIDSON'S FIVE PIECE ORCHESTRA

FRIDAY—NEW YEARS DAY  
DANIEL PROHMAN Presents  
"CHARLOTTE IVES" and "HOUSE PETERS"  
In GRACE GEORGE'S Celebrated Society Drama  
**"CLOTHES"**  
Produced by "THE FAMOUS PLAYERS CO." in 4 Acts

COMING SATURDAY  
FRANCIS BUSHMAN  
In a royal romance  
"EVERY INCH  
A KING"  
An all star cast in a  
great picture.

## WOULD REMOVE BANK DIRECTORS WHO FAIL TO ATTEND MEETINGS

Washington, Dec. 29.—Comptroller Williams, of the Currency Bureau submitted his annual report to congress today. It covers the beginning of the transition from the old National banking system to the new Federal Reserve system, as well as the operations of more than 7,000 National banks which have become part of the new system since his last annual report was made.

Aside from reviewing the provisions of the new bank law and the steps by which it was put into operation, the Comptroller makes some recommendations for new legislation. They are:

An amendment to require uniform by-laws for national banks. In that connection the Comptroller declares many bank directors fail to direct and says any director who does not attend a majority of board meetings in a year should be ineligible for re-election.

An amendment to permit signatures on national bank notes to be printed instead of made with pen and ink, which would permit the bills to be washed and restored to circulation.

That National banks be required to limit their deposits to ten times their combined capital and surplus.

That the Comptroller be empowered to remove, with the approval of the secretary of the treasury, any director or officer of a National bank, guilty of violating any of the more important provisions of the bank law and direct that suit be brought against them in the name of the bank to recover for the results of any malfeasance in office.

Of the Federal Reserve act and what it is expected to accomplish for the finance and commerce of the country the Comptroller says:

"The Federal reserve act is designed not only to cure weaknesses and defects of the currency system under which we have struggled, and sometimes staggered, in the past, as we have outgrown the conditions and passed beyond the circumstances which it was especially provided to meet but to offer to the people of this country many new advantages and opportunities, while eliminating business from many evils, difficulties, and troubles with which it has been burdened, and from which it has found no escape."

At some length the Comptroller recounts the activities of governmental agencies to aid the financial and business world during the stress at the outbreak of the European war. He covers practically the same ground as Secretary McAdoo did in his recent report to congress. The remainder of the Comptroller's report is given over to statistics.

There were 26,765 banks reporting to state and federal officers in the United States at the close of business on June 30. These banks, including all kinds, had aggregate resources of \$20,971,398,051 showing an increase of more than \$1,200,000,000 in the year. There were 772 more banks reporting than the year previous.

The banks showed loans and discounts amounting to \$15,288,457,281 with individual deposits subject to check without notice amounting to \$9,539,573,744. They held gold coin and gold certificates totalling more than \$912,000,000. Within the year ended October 31, 1914, the Comptroller says, 419 applications were received from persons wishing to organize National banks. Of these 226 were approved.

## DONAHEY WARNS

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the total public debts of all cities, villages, townships and school districts of Ohio was \$293,000,000.

"Thus we find that it is costing every man, woman and child in the state \$25.20 each to enjoy the benefits of government," says Mr. Donahey. "And there is just \$38.62 of public debt hanging over the head of every person in Ohio."

"With the constant succession of new officials it is too great a menace to the public treasury to give every politician who happens to break into office, unlimited authority to levy taxes and contract debts."

"If the rapid increase of public indebtedness in counties and cities, payable through general taxation, is not checked, it will soon be impossible for such taxing districts to meet ordinary running expenses and interest charges, and the liquidation of outstanding bonds will be impossible."

**Credit of State Will Be Destroyed Eventually**

Whether refunding of debts is resorted to and investors see that debts are not to be paid but simply perpetuated, credit will be destroyed and repudiation of obligations must necessarily follow.

"We cannot close this discussion of debt and taxation better than to renew the caution and warning contained in our report of last year:

"There must be a limitation to taxation as unchanging as the laws of the Medes and Persians. 'The creation of unnecessary public debts should be prevented by proper legislation, and equitable limitations should always be provided by statute, so that the debt of any political subdivision, payable through general taxation shall never exceed a certain percent of its total duplicate of all property subject to taxation."

"The demand for certain selfish interests that debt limitations be removed and that we have 'free trade' in bonds and tax levies should be sternly rejected by the legislature."

Dayton, O., Dec. 29.—The record for deaths at the national military home here was broken during the last 24 hours. There were seven veterans, six from the civil war and one of the Spanish war who died within this time.

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not, but that the position of the United States would apply to any neutral and that the contention advanced were not peculiar to this country.

**Protest Based On International Law**

The President added that the note of protest was not based on any treaties between the United States and Great Britain but on the general accepted principle of international law. Publication of the substance of the American note this morning created widespread interest in the capital.

Foreign diplomats, especially those from neutral countries, discussed it and members of congress, who had protested to the state department on behalf of merchants and shippers of copper, flour, wheat, food stuffs, cotton and other products, in which trade has been restricted, expressed their satisfaction with the attitude of the government.

Some administration officials expressed the view that when Great Britain realized the extent of public opinion on the subject in the United States, her attitude would be modified and American industries hitherto halted would go forward.

**Holland Government Has Taken Like Stand**

The minister from the Netherlands called at the state department today to obtain for his government a copy of the American note to Great Britain. The minister conferred with Counselor Lansing, who prepared for him a memorandum, giving the substance of the note. As the minister left the department he said the information given him confirmed the published reports of the note. He said Holland had told Great Britain virtually the same thing but he thought added weight would be given to the argument because of the vigorous position of the American government.

The note was the subject of discussion among members of both houses of congress but none would discuss it publicly. Senators of the foreign relations committee were hopeful that it would result in quick relief for American commerce. Several expressed the opinion that the firm stand taken by the government would bring relief.

The communication, prepared by President Wilson and his advisers in the state department, reached London today and was regarded here as the strongest representation on the subject of commerce made by the United States to any belligerent since the outbreak of war.

Administration officials realize that many millions of dollars in claims are accumulating against the British government, but the note sets forth the reimbursements allowed do not cure the evil, as American shippers are practically intimidated and fear to embark upon legitimate export trade.

The American note declares the relations between neutral countries are those of peace and normal times, and not of war.

The American government maintains that the belligerent may exercise the right to search, but cannot divert a neutral ship to a belligerent port for further examination unless proof is shown at the time of detention of a hostile destination of the cargo.

One of the most far-reaching points in the note is the attitude taken on absolute and conditional contraband destined to belligerent countries. The American government argues that the belligerent must prove conditional contraband is destined for use by the army or navy of its enemy. In view of this position on conditional contraband shipped directly to belligerents, the American government insists that there should be no interference with food stuffs and products of the same class consigned to neutral countries.

A reply is not expected for several days as the note probably will be considered at length.

## PARLIAMENT MEMBER DIES

London, Dec. 29.—Henry R. H. Broadley, 61, unionist member of parliament for the Hove and Shoreham division of the east riding of Yorkshire since 1906, died suddenly today.

In 1878 Mr. Broadley was married to Miss Belle Tracey, of Pennsylvania.

## Eliminate The Physically Unfit And Fatalities Will Be Reduced

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Keep the physically unfit and the untrained player out of football and the game will be free from danger was the opinion set forth in the report of the committee on fatalities in football submitted to the convention of the national collegiate athletic association here today.

Dr. George W. Ehler of the University of Wisconsin, chairman of the committee in the report said that the association should go on record to point out the dangers of the game that exist for those who are physically unfit, either because of age or weakness and the untrained athlete. He urged that all candidates for teams submit to a rigid medical and physical examination and the strict supervision of players, both in practice and the playing of regular games.

Investigation by the committee, the report says showed that the cause for an outcry against the game as "brutal and degrading sport" cannot be maintained and the sensationalism that has been attached to it should cease to exist.

Of the 13 players reported to have died during 1914 from the results of participating in the football fields or practice, Dr. Ehler said that only three of these were college men and that only one was a member of a regular varsity team. All other deaths reported he said were of boys under 20 years of age who played on high school, athletic club and irregular teams.

## FRENCH WAR STATEMENT

Paris, Dec. 29.—The French official statement on the progress of the war given out this afternoon refers to comparatively minor French successes, and mentions violent bombardment of certain French positions by German artillery. The French have occupied a village in Belgium; they have gained ground in the Argonne and they are investing Steinbach, in Upper Alsace. The text of the communication follows:

"In Belgium the village of St. Georges has been occupied by our troops, who have established themselves in this location. From the Lys to the Somme the enemy has rather violently bombarded our positions in the vicinity of Rehele at St. Aubin, at Lequesnoy, and at Pouchair to the north west of Roye."

"There has been calm along the front between the Somme and the Argonne."

"We have gained a little ground in the Argonne, notably in the forest of Laguerie, in the Forest Bolande and in the Forest Courte Chaussee."

"On the heights of the Meuse several German counter-attacks have been repulsed in the forest of Lohmeun, which is north-east of Troyon."

"The forces of the enemy which had occupied our trenches in the vicinity of the redoubt in the burned forest to the west of Apremont, have been driven out after three successive counter attacks."

"In Upper Alsace, following a violent engagement we are today closely investing Steinbach, and our forces have taken possession of the ruins of the chateau which is located to the northwest of this village."

**Cox May Name Ansberry**

Columbus, Dec. 29.—It was said by callers at the executive office here today that Governor Cox is considering strongly appointing Congressman T. T. Ansberry, of Delaware, judge of the court of appeals of the Third district to succeed the late Judge Michael Donnelly, of Napoleon.

"Billy" Little, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jaynes, of Fifth street, has been ill for several days.

## REPUBLICAN CAUCUS, NOMINEES FOR STATE ASSEMBLY OFFICES

Columbus, Dec. 28.—The full list of caucus nominees in the House was as follows:

Speaker—Charles D. Conover, of Champaign.  
Speaker pro tem—Frank E. Whittemore, of Summit.  
Clerk—John P. Maynard, of Allen.  
Journal clerk—C. E. Spring, of Paulding.  
Message clerk—Elton M. Kile, of Madison.  
Engrossing clerk—Calvin W. Reynolds, of Franklin.  
Enrolling clerk—Charles E. Harper, of Morgan.  
Recording clerk—Mrs. Ella M. Scriven, of Summit.  
Sergeant-at-arms—Dr. Alfred Robinson, of Lawrence.  
First assistant—John D. Thomas, of Athens.  
Second assistant—John C. Griggs, of Washington.  
Third assistant—Colonel Fred Blenkner, of Franklin.

**Senate**

President pro tem—Charles J. Howard, of Belmont.  
Clerk—W. E. Halley, of Darke.  
Sergeant-at-arms—Frank Ackerman, of Putnam.  
Assistant clerk—Warren E. Barnett, of Franklin.  
Deputy clerk—(to be assigned later)—F. L. Diles, McArthur, W. J. Breen, Chillicothe; Wm. Jenkins, Cincinnati; Ira E. Morrison, Akron; Charles Sutton, Cleveland.  
First assistant sergeant-at-arms—James Cochran, of Franklin.  
Second assistant—R. E. Sperry, of Lorain.  
Third assistant—C. J. Nichols, of Marion.  
Fourth assistant—L. H. Davis, of Scioto.

Stenographers—Mary Burch, Cincinnati; Mrs. Abe Pemberton, Columbus; Winifred Clark, Columbus; Jessie Dalrymple, Mingo; Dora Hull, Paulding.

Porters—Charles Logan, Marion; Leopold Adler, Cincinnati; Nichols Myers, Massillon; Frank Robinson, Chillicothe; George W. Davis, Tiffin.

Custodian of the judiciary—Earl J. King, Niles.  
Chaplain—Rev. W. A. Perrin, Columbus.  
Cloak room custodians—Harry Lockwood and Thomas Morgan.  
Door keepers—Frank Huber, Charles Happier and William P. Evans.

Telephone attendants—Charles Miller, of Columbus, and R. B. Heesen, of Zanesville.

Committee on committees—Senators Howard, McDermott, Pink, Gallagher, Winans.

## SCANDINAVIAN SHIPPING HAS SUFFERED MUCH

Stockholm, Dec. 29.—Total losses to Scandinavian shipping through mine disasters were as follows, up to mid-December:

Sweden, eight ships and sixty lives; Denmark, six vessels and six lives; Norway, five vessels and six lives. To this total must be added Holland, with three vessels and fifteen lives.

The total financial loss for the twenty-two ships and their cargoes will reach nearly ten million dollars.

London, Dec. 29.—During the first four months of the war, fifty-four British foreign-going ships, valued at \$11,400,000, were captured or destroyed by the enemy. These are the official figures of the Liverpool and London War Risks Insurance Association.

According to these figures, the losses for four months were 1.23 per cent of the total number of vessels, and 0.91 per cent of the total value of the cargo carried.

This would indicate that vessels could have been insured at a rate of 0.37 per cent monthly and their cargoes at a rate of 0.31 per cent. The rates fixed by the government at the beginning of the war were 0.72 for vessels and 1.21 for cargoes. This shows a snug margin of profit for underwriters.

London, Dec. 29.—British observers of the progress of the war point this morning to the admission in the Austrian official announcement that Russia is once more master of the passes in the Carpathian mountains and that troops along the entire Austrian front from the Biala river to a point northeast of the Duka pass seem to be falling back.

This means the withdrawal of virtually all the forces which swept across the mountains to form the extreme right in the concerted Austro-German attack on the Russian armies and it marks another surprising reversal of form on the part of the Austrian soldiers whose battle fortunes since the outbreak of hostilities have been conspicuously erratic.

Elsewhere in the eastern arena of the war little change has been recorded, while on the western front the slow and tedious trench warfare goes on unintermittently, with only slight gains on either side.

The British press commends the importance of the trenches near Holbeck, south of Ypres, which have been taken by the Germans, and points out that the strategic value of these positions has been emphasized recently in a dispatch from Sir John French, commander-in-chief of the British forces on the continent.

They comment an important crossing of the river Lys, to which the Germans have been holding tenaciously. The taking of these trenches gives them a stronger foothold.

**London Fears Raid From Aeroplanes**

Fear of a Zeppelin raid over

Columbus, Dec. 28.—The full list of caucus nominees in the House was as follows:

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Speaker pro tem—Frank E. Whittemore, of Summit.  
Clerk—John P. Maynard, of Allen.  
Journal clerk—C. E. Spring, of Paulding.  
Message clerk—Elton M. Kile, of Madison.  
Engrossing clerk—Calvin W. Reynolds, of Franklin.  
Enrolling clerk—Charles E. Harper, of Morgan.  
Recording clerk—Mrs. Ella M. Scriven, of Summit.  
Sergeant-at-arms—Dr. Alfred Robinson, of Lawrence.  
First assistant—John D. Thomas, of Athens.  
Second assistant—John C. Griggs, of Washington.  
Third assistant—Colonel Fred Blenkner, of Franklin.

**Senate**

President pro tem—Charles J. Howard, of Belmont.  
Clerk—W. E. Halley, of Darke.  
Sergeant-at-arms—Frank Ackerman, of Putnam.  
Assistant clerk—Warren E. Barnett, of Franklin.  
Deputy clerk—(to be assigned later)—F. L. Diles, McArthur, W. J. Breen, Chillicothe; Wm. Jenkins, Cincinnati; Ira E. Morrison, Akron; Charles Sutton, Cleveland.  
First assistant sergeant-at-arms—James Cochran, of Franklin.  
Second assistant—R. E. Sperry, of Lorain.  
Third assistant—C. J. Nichols, of Marion.  
Fourth assistant—L. H. Davis, of Scioto.

Stenographers—Mary Burch, Cincinnati; Mrs. Abe Pemberton, Columbus; Winifred Clark, Columbus; Jessie Dalrymple, Mingo; Dora Hull, Paulding.

Porters—Charles Logan, Marion; Leopold Adler, Cincinnati; Nichols Myers, Massillon; Frank Robinson, Chillicothe; George W. Davis, Tiffin.

Custodian of the judiciary—Earl J. King, Niles.  
Chaplain—Rev. W. A. Perrin, Columbus.  
Cloak room custodians—Harry Lockwood and Thomas Morgan.  
Door keepers—Frank Huber, Charles Happier and William P. Evans.

Telephone attendants—Charles Miller, of Columbus, and R. B. Heesen, of Zanesville.

Committee on committees—Senators Howard, McDermott, Pink, Gallagher, Winans.

## GERMANY ASKS THAT U. S. CONSULS OBEY MILITARY RULINGS

Washington, Dec. 29.—Secretary Bryan had before him today for consideration the formal notification from Germany that American consuls in Belgium must accept the German military authorities and asking for the withdrawal of certain consuls for the present at least. The United States now has consular representatives only in Brussels, Antwerp, Liege and Ghent. Since the war broke out they have been engaged chiefly in looking after refugees, and aiding in relief work, as there was little regular work to do.

Although the text of the communication was not made public, it is believed in official circles to be similar to the one sent Argentina and other neutral countries, and that while the Berlin government is not insistent that consuls in Belgium take out new exequaturs from German officials, it announces that such consuls must perform their duties only by permission from the military authorities controlling the territory in which the consulate is located.

Already the Belgian government has protested against Germany's action and the Belgian ministry here, in a statement, declares that "such a change could only become lawful by the consummation of a treaty of peace determining definitely the status of the occupied territory."

The notion of Germany in asking for the withdrawal of certain consuls is said to be entirely imprudent and to be based upon the law of military necessity, which recognizes the right of a military officer in command of occupied territory to dictate the amount and extent of civil business and the manner in which it shall be conducted in that territory. It is claimed that the United States could recognize such right without committing this country to a political recognition of the right of the military occupant of a territory to its possession.

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## LOCAL MAN SHOT BY MOSBY'S MEN.

Our remarks about Mosby and his men have caused some people to become reminiscent. A citizen informs us that a very prominent Portsmouth man was killed by Mosby's men during the civil war but whether by the consent of Mosby or not was never definitely known. It was Stephen P. Drake, a well known editor and publisher. He published several newspapers in Portsmouth, the last one being the Scioto Valley Republican, published by himself and his brother, the late Samuel P. Drake, and was part literary and part political. Later it was run by C. E. Irwin, and then Valjean got hold of it and he changed the name to The Blade, and as such it was known till its demise a year ago.

Mr. Drake was close to or possibly beyond the military age when he enlisted as a private in a Union regiment, and was serving with it in Virginia when he met his death. He was engaged in the service of carrying letters and other mail matter between the different regiments of his brigade and was stopped by some of Mosby's men, and they doubtless taking him for some kind of a spy, shot him dead. It is doubtful if Mosby himself would have sanctioned the killing of a man of Drake's appearance. The report of the killing came to Portsmouth through the columns of Eastern papers, and the particulars were never known. The feeling around here has always been strong against Mosby, our informant says, on account of this unwarranted killing.

Mr. Drake published papers in Jackson and Ironton, and a daughter is probably still living in the latter city.

## JUDGE BEATTY'S WARNING.

No doubt many parents read with surprise the statement by Probate Judge Beatty, in Monday's Times to the effect that they were violating the law of the state when they gave air rifles to children under 14 years of age. Yet such is the fact, as the statutes quoted show. So many people, through sheer carelessness had been entrusting weapons to children that for the common safety, the legislature was compelled to step in and make the act an offense. From complaints that have come to the judge about reckless shooting about the streets by children it would seem that the time for drastic action had come. A gun is a dangerous weapon in the hands of any person and in the hands of a child it is doubly dangerous. It is but an invitation to tragedy and Judge Beatty is to be commended for his campaign. Parents should take due heed of his warning and disarm the young Indians and cowboys and soldiers running loose in our midst.

In the olden days when the Republicans were wont to foregather at Columbus to save the country the Scioto county leaders were always in evidence. But times seem to have changed. Instead of allowing the genial light of his handsome countenance to shine about the Nell House lobby, Chairman Doc Young, the new leader, is letting the country go to the law while he sits at home and attends to his own knitting. It is too bad. For a man of his age and time of life, Dr. Young might as well as let himself be in the Nell atmosphere if he would only testir himself.

Mr. Luke McLuker, singer, philosopher and friend, on the Cantonian frontiers is kept so busy building little dikes under the fellows who stand so stiff without credit that he is unable to understand what he reads the time to grind out that column of "Dix of Dix" play. What's the secret?

A gentleman friend writes to know why we don't mention some of the sayings of the men who have stood on the historic stretch corner every evening, rain or shine, for the past twenty years. We will look into the matter, but then we never did like a crowd.

"If everybody would just put a little muscle behind a house or shovel and get the snow off their own sidewalk as soon as it comes, we would not be slipping along in snow, rain or sun, and the man with wet feet as he threw himself into a cab on the street on this morning. "Yes, that's true," replied a lady who sat next to him. "And it might be a good idea for people of your doctrine to set the example." What sort of a woman was she, from the spot occupied by the man with wet feet?

Of course if Pete Smith cannot find a man good enough to stand down that job of deputy sheriff he might offer it to the man who stands on the First National Bank corner every day for the holidays included. We do not say that the job would be accepted but then it would give the champion stander some idea of what it is like to be outside the weather and the men and women who pass.

One difference between that Indiana election case and the one of historic memory in Adams county is that in Indiana they caught the bribes in the net of justice. In Adams they got the men who took the money.

## THE AUTOMOBILE BUSINESS.

The magnitude of the automobile business of the country is shown by figures made public which show that last year the new manufactured automobiles in the United States were valued at \$450,000,000. In addition there are the used cars, the mobile dealers, 13,630 garages and repair shops, and the fact that for a moment what an enormous number of men are given employment in this business which has attracted attention, and in the past six or seven years. And the best part of it is that the industry has gotten on a stable footing. It has come to stand on its own feet rather than go backward. It is a business that is organized as a necessity these days as well as a means of pleasure. The day is not far distant when prior to the automobile, the Chinese in each of all; then with cheaper fuel, and the ability of the future, the automobile factories will be turning out their utmost capacity to meet the demand.

## THE NEAR SIDE STOP.

(Lexington Herald)

When the near side of the street was adopted for cars to stop, the New Yorkers raised a howl as people do at almost any innovation, but according to a statement in the World it has been vindicated by largely promoting safety. For the months of September, October and November, on the lines of the Third Avenue Railway, the number of accidents fell from 1,306 during the corresponding period of last year to 1,061 this year. This is a good many accidents yet and sounds very large to us who are used to safer service but it must be remembered that millions are carried on the line named and even the saving of a few hundred lives and limbs counts a great deal. If the same ratio holds good for the other lines the change is a distinct gain for the rule now generally prevailing of "safety first."

There can be little question that the near side stop is the safest. It prevents confusion and consequent congestion and has vindicated itself. It has done so here and everywhere it has been inaugurated.

When the front exit and entrance were put in operation here there were all sorts of kicks and complaints, but we have not heard so much on the subject since it got well to work. It too, we are sure, is demonstrating the wisdom of its adoption and will add largely to the great desideratum of safety. In that as in all other matters that competent persons have studied out it is best to accept their verdict, at least until practice shows its utter futility. For ourselves we are willing that the street car men shall run the cars and stop them as they see best for they know their business or ought to. Most improvements are unhandy, and clumsy until we get used to them, but when we do we marvel that we stood the old fashioned way so long.

Of course if Harry Thaw had not broken onto the First page of the newspapers again, one William Travers Jerome might have been a little shy on Christmas money.

County Commissioner William Bennett, who is something of an autoist, is still more of a horseman. He says that he would not give his saddle horse for the best automobile that ever came down the pike and that he gets more enjoyment in riding about on horseback than he possibly can in a gasoline car. And what is more, Mr. Bennett says the horse is going to come back to his own. He predicts that there will be more horses in use in this country in the next few years than ever and that the prices will be higher.

## JOFFRE SWINGS AXE



General Joffre.

Who has summarily retired twenty-four French generals, and is said to be the success of some of the German counter-attacks.

## GIRL ASKS COMPENSATION FOR RESISTING HIGHWAYMAN

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 29.—Miss On November 28, a highwayman, Louise Noy, 21, of this city, filed suit with the pay an unusual application for compensation for the company she was carrying. In the struggle to retain possession of the state, Miss Noy, the girl, strained the truth to some extent. She was a member of her arm. Dr. Joseph asks compensation because of it. Watson stated that she also suffered from a severe case of pneumonia, and that she was unable to work for the last two weeks of the month.

## CITY OFFICIAL IS A VICTIM OF ROBBERS

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## STEAMER HITS MINE IN THE NORTH SEA

London, Dec. 29.—The Glasgow steamer, a small vessel of about 100 tons, has been sunk in the North Sea as the result of striking a mine. The crew were rescued, but the fate of the vessel is unknown.



## To The Gas Meter

They say the problem is unsolved, But still I have a notion That when some man invented you He found perpetual motion.

You never loaf upon the job, But do your stunt most gaily: You are forever in our minds, We think about you daily.

Down in the dismal, darksome depths, In your most humble station, You cheerfully perform your task And ask for no vacation.

A faithful servant, tried and true, We think it right to mention The fact we think your masters should Retire you on a pension.

You click and chatter all the day, And seem to tire out never, For men may come and men may go, But YOU go on forever.

—Roy K. Moulton in Akron Beacon-Journal.

## No Lizzie—

When a man gets his tan shoes shined, it doesn't necessarily mean that it is pay day.

Don't wear out the jumping jack, father, let little Willie have it.

## Real Reason

"There are no men like King Solomon in these modern days." "No, the marriage laws are different."—Philadelphia Ledger.

## Uncle Must Have a Lot of Funerals

Walter White and wife were in St. John's Saturday, to attend a funeral of Mr. White's uncle.—Maple Rapids (Mich.) Dispatch.

## Mistake!

There was a young lady named Docking, Who, Christmas morn, looked in her stocking, All she saw was her toes, Her tiny pink toes.

## Superfluous Adornment

"You can't paint the lily." "Plenty of girls are trying it, though."—Kansas City Journal.

## Plain Person

Come people lead the sweetest lives, With stylishness replete, I do not like four kinds of knives And but one kind of meat.

## Not Cabinet Size

An ex-senator in Washington was talking one afternoon to a group of newly-elected congressmen about to be sworn in. "Be careful boys," said he, "not to appear green. Think before you speak, and you'll not give yourselves away. I should hate to hear that any of you had acted as a new member from Arkansas once did."

"As soon as he reached Washington he went to a photographer's to be pictured for the papers."

"I want my likeness taken," said he.

"Cabnet," asked the photographer.

"The man from Arkansas, red-headed and looked pleased. "No," he replied, "just plain, everyday congressman."

Getting Down to Business "Are you as perfect physically as you seem to be?" he asked.

"Certainly," she replied.

"Has there ever been any insanity in your family?"

"Never."

"Have you a depraved taste of any kind?"

"Certainly not."

"Are your teeth in good condition and do you see and hear perfectly?"

"Yes."

"Are you ever bothered by insomnia or headache or indigestion?"

"Not at all."

"Thank heavens. Now let's make love a little while!"—Chicago Record.

## A Grave Situation, Evidently

"She buried her head and wept."—Extract from a news story in Akron paper.

## A Jumble Puzzle

Arrange these jumbled words in their right order and you will have a well known rhyme: Wife couldn't there be Will Peter keep had outer pump kin and Her put in Peter a shell sept Her pumpkin very and he her a

## Common Disease

Despite the prevalence of the hand-to-pocketbook disease these days we haven't heard of any agitation for a quarantine.

## MOTHER SHOT BY HER SON

Mrs. Walter Beloit, of near Clifford, was accidentally shot and seriously wounded with a bullet from a Robert rifle in the hand of her fifteen-year-old son, Paul, about twelve o'clock Tuesday. The bullet penetrated through the fleshy part of her right arm and lodged in her right side just above the hip. Her condition is serious.

The son was playing with the gun, unmindful of the fact that it was loaded. He pulled the trigger, and the bullet struck his mother, who was but a short distance away. The shooting occurred in the kitchen of their home, located in the rear of the George Appel farm at Clifford.

Dr. O. W. Robe of this city and Dr. J. H. Hilling of Lucasville, were summoned, and made an unsuccessful probe for the bullet. Mrs. Beloit was conscious late Tuesday afternoon, but was suffering excruciating pain. The son who did the shooting is the only child.

The mayor on Tuesday sent letters of commendation to the local saloonists who voluntarily closed their places of business on Christmas Day.

Miss Anna McCormick, aged 21, died recently at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. McCormick of Oliver, Ky., after an extended illness with stomach trouble. She was born in Greenup county, Kentucky. The deceased united with the M. E. church in Oliver a short time before her death. Her last words were, "I am going home to rest."

She was loved by all who came in contact with her, and will be sadly missed by her many relatives and friends. Two sisters, Mrs. Hattie Burnham of Sciotoville and Clara McCormick and brothers, Everett of Smith's Branch, Ky., and John, Frank, and Edgar survive.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Robert Walker of Haverhill. Burial was made near Haverhill, Oliver, Ky.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hartley of Grandview near Haverhill, Tuesday morning. Mr. Hartley is a shoe-maker.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Fahr of the Chillicothe pike are the parents of a daughter, which was born early Monday morning. The father is a well known local shoe-maker.

A lady daughter was born to Morse Politt and wife at their home on Front street, Monday.

Born at William's Landing, to Mr. and Mrs. William H. Williamson, of Ninety street, a fine pond rearing lot. Mr. Williamson is a shoe-maker at the Irving Drive company's plant and is a nephew of Captain B. B. Williamson of the Seventh street ice company.

Thomas Jones is rapidly nearing completion. It will be turned over to Mr. Jones in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Strong and Miss Margaret Elvey were business visitors to Portsmouth, Monday.

Miss Georgia Conway and company, Mr. Carl Finney, are of New Boston, are spending the holidays with relatives here.

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## ALLIES MUST WIN, Baby Is "Sunshine" At White House



Miss Josephine Anne Cochran, Washington, Dec. 29.—Miss Josephine Anne Cochran, aged three, reigns supreme as the "Sunshine" of the White House for the Christmas holidays. The President's little grand-niece has done more to brighten his days since the death of Mrs. Wilson than any other person connected with the White House family. An immense tree, beautifully decorated, was placed in the library of the White House for the benefit of Baby Cochran.

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Thomas Jones is rapidly nearing completion. It will be turned over to Mr. Jones in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Strong and Miss Margaret Elvey were business visitors to Portsmouth, Monday.

Miss Georgia Conway and company, Mr. Carl Finney, are of New Boston, are spending the holidays with relatives here.

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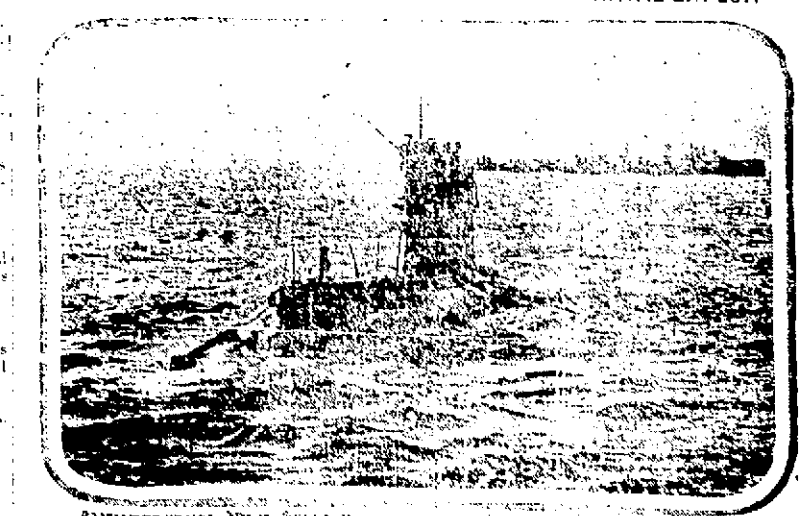
Miss Nell Stewart was a business visitor to Oak Hill, Saturday.

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## BRITISH SUBMARINE THAT FIGURED IN DARING NAVAL EXPLOIT



The English submarine R-11 had dived under the My mind sections of water to the centre of the Dardanelles, where she torpedoed the Turkish warship Hamid, and then, pursued by a hail of shells from the forts and guns of the Turkish warships, made her more perilous journey unscathed.

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### WANTED

**WANTED:**—3 boarders. Phone X 1079.  
**WANTED:**—Good girl for general housework. Must have references. Mrs. Homer U. Selby, 1641 Grant St.  
**WANTED:**—Carpenter to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co., Revore & Klingman, Home phone 490.  
**WANTED:**—Hides, roots, feathers of all kinds. M. Jacobs' Sons, now back at our old stand, Third near Chillicothe.  
**WANTED:**—Nursing by middle aged woman, can give references. Address Mrs. C. R. Gregory, Portsmouth, Ohio, Station A, 188 Gallia Ave. 26-6  
**WANTED:**—Everybody to know that we will begin a sale at the Undersewing Store, 172 Gallia Ave., New Boston, Monday, Dec. 29 to last until Jan. 2, 1915. We will sell all new and second hand goods regardless of cost prices. We are fully determined to dispose of all second hand goods. After that time we will open with all new ladies' and gents' furnishings, now if you want bargains in all kinds of clothing and shoes don't fail to come. Open day and night, G. M. Warner, Manager.  
**NOTICE:**—We sell second hand clothing and shoes at low prices. 1014 Gallia.  
**WANTED:**—House work to do. Phone 2400 N.  
**WANTED:**—First class cook at once. Steady place and good wages. Phone 463 Y. 629 5th.  
**WANTED:**—Furniture repaired at once. Call N 1257.  
**"A DOLLAR A DAY"** Income property, new, conveniently arranged for three families to occupy; on car line and paved street. Attractive price and favorable terms for immediate sale. Will consider farm property or desirable vacant lots in exchange. Address Lock Box 357, Portsmouth, Ohio.  
**WANTED:**—To buy a farm within ten miles of Portsmouth, about 50 acres, mostly level, some fruit and fair improvements. Must be worth the money. Describe fully and give lowest price in your answer. No agents. Address "Lock Box 246" Sciotoville, O.  
**WANTED:**—To invest \$10,000.00 in good rental properties in Portsmouth; will consider lots with alloy houses in good location. State price and describe fully in first letter. Will deal only with owners direct. Address "Buyer" care Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.  
**WANTED:**—Wet nurse at once. Apply to Mrs. J. F. Davis, 1557 Fifth street. Phone 833-A.  
**WANTED:**—Woman to do washing. Inquire near that left, Wilhelmette.  
**NOTICE:**—Automobile for hire. Phone 1125 X. Night call 1448 Y.  
**WANTED:**—Work of any kind by day or week. Mrs. Rose Burnett, 1520 Waller.  
**WANTED:**—Baby carriage, wicker or work preferred. Must be in good condition. No collapsibles. Phone 476 X.  
**WANTED:**—Washing and ironing to do, 1024 12th. Rear. M. Patterson.  
**WANTED:**—Salesmen. Two expert house-to-house salesmen; must be between the age of 25 and 30, sober and reliable; steady work with splendid opportunity for advancement. See Mr. Whipple, 629 5th St. between 4 and 5 p. m.

### FOR SALE

**FOR SALE:**—Corn fodder and cane hay. 2505 Gallia.  
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**FOR SALE:**—5 room two story house, barn, 8th St. Lot 34 ft. front. Will take horses, wagons, hogs, cattle as part payment. Balance in loans. Price \$1500. P. W. Kilocone, 1218 Grandview. Phone 1408 A.

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**FOR RENT:**—5 room house 2015 Grant St. at \$10 per month. Phone 72. 29-3

**FOR RENT:**—2-3 room houses in Earlstown. Phone A 1722, 2223 Gallia. 20-3

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**FOR RENT:**—Furnished rooms with or without board, cheap. 918 Waller. Phone Y 1157. 29-3

**FOR RENT:**—6 room house with bath, 2109 Grant. Inquire 1147 9th. 20-3

**FOR RENT:**—3 room cottage 1668 Highland avenue. Inquire 1525 9th St. Phone 1047 B. 29-3

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### CLOSING PRICES

### NEW YORK STOCKS

Amalgamated Copper, 51 3/4.  
American Beet Sugar, 32 1/2.  
American Cotton Oil, 38 1/2.  
American Smelting & Refining, 55 1/2.  
American Sugar Refining, 102.  
American Telephone & Telegraph, 118.  
Anaconda Mining Co., 25 1/2.  
Atchison, 92 1/2.  
Atlantic Coast Line, 98.  
Baltimore & Ohio, 68 1/2.  
Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 54 1/2.  
Canadian Pacific, 154 1/2.  
Chesapeake & Ohio, 40 1/2.  
Chicago & North Western, 122.  
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul, 88.  
Colorado Fuel & Iron, 23.  
Colorado & Southern, 21 1/2.  
Delaware & Hudson, 139.  
Denver & Rio Grande, 5.  
General Electric, 137.  
Great Northern, 113 1/2.  
Great Northern Ore Cts., 24 1/2.  
Illinois Central, 107.  
Interborough Met., 12.  
Interborough Met. pf., 50 3/4.  
Inter Harvester, 88.  
Louisville & Nashville, 115.  
Missouri Pacific, 95.  
Missouri, Kansas & Texas, 8 1/2.  
Nashua Valley, 129 1/2.  
National Lead, 63 1/2.  
New York Central, 83 1/2.  
Norfolk & Western, 98 1/2.  
Northern Pacific, 99 1/2.  
Pennsylvania, 104 1/2.  
People's Gas, 116.  
Pullman Palace Car, 150.  
Reading, 144 1/2.  
Rock Island Co., 24.  
Rock Island Co. pf., 14.  
Southern Pacific, 82 1/2.  
Southern Railway, 14.  
Union Pacific, 116 1/2.  
United States Steel, 49.  
United States Steel pf., 104 1/2.  
Wabash, 12.  
Western Union, 57 1/2.  
New Haven, 43 1/2.

### CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Washington dispatches telling of friction with Great Britain about shipping had a bearish effect today on the wheat market here. Many dealers showed a disposition to let go of holdings, and on the ensuing break in values the buying was only of a scattered sort. A continued downward tendency in quotations from Argentina counted against the bulls, and so too did an increase of the European visible supply. After opening 1.80-1.10 to 1.20 lower the market fell as much as 1 to 2 1/2 c under last night before beginning to react.

Corn sagged with wheat but only to a limited extent. The hours were assisted by reports of somewhat larger country offerings. Opening prices which were unchanged to 1-4 c up, were followed by a general setback of 1-4 to 5-8 c below last night's level.

Oats eased off, influenced by the action of other grain. Trade was light.

Free selling wiped out an early advance in provisions. 1 1/2 operators went almost in a body to the bear side.

Later, a decided rally took place in consequence of assertions that liberal export business had developed after the break. Besides there were statements that the Argentine surplus would not be so heavy as reported and that Great Britain was releasing from detention a number of American ships. The close was unsettled at an advance of 5/8 to 1 c.

Afterward the corn market rebounded, wheat having turned up grade, and then being a cold wave in prospect. The close was firm, 3/4 to 1 1/2 c above last night.

### OPENING

Wheat: Dec., \$1.26; May, \$1.28 1/2.

Corn: Dec., 66 1/2; May, 73 1/2.

Oats: Dec., 50; May, 53 1/2.

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Toledo, O., Dec. 29.—Wheat: cash and Dec., \$1.28 1/4; May, \$1.32 1/2.

Corn: cash, 70 1/2; Dec., 69 1/2; May, 75 1/2; July, 76 1/2.

Oats: cash, 52 1/2; Dec., 51 1/2; May, 56.

Rye: No. 2, \$1.11.

### CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKETS

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Hogs receipts 42,000, slow; bulk, \$7.10; \$7.20; light, \$8.80; \$7.20; mixed, \$6.00; \$7.25; heavy, \$6.85; \$7.25; rough, \$6.85; \$6.95; pigs, \$5.50; \$7.20; cattle receipts 8,000, slow; native steers, \$5.40; \$10.00. Western, \$5.10; \$8.50; cows and heifers, \$3.15; \$8.20; calves, \$7.25; \$9.75.

Sheep receipts, 20,000, weak; sheep, \$5.80; \$6.70; yearlings, \$6.85; \$7.80; lambs, \$7.00; \$8.85.

### CINCINNATI

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 29.—Hogs receipts 6,500, slow; packers and butchers, \$6.75; \$7.15; common to choice, \$5.25; \$6.25; pigs and lights, \$5.00; \$7.15; stags, \$4.25; \$5.25.

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### LIQUIDATION OF ROCK ISLAND

lateral fours and denture lives which fell from 2 to almost 3 points, was the sole feature of the final hour. The closing was irregular.

Washington advices giving further details of this government's note to Great Britain concerning interference with American commerce were the subject of general discussion in financial circles and exercised some effect upon the market. Following the early rally prices dropped back slightly after which trading came almost to a standstill. There was no initiative except from the short interest which tested the market from time to time in search of weak spots. Missouri, Kansas and Texas Preferred dropped four points to within a fraction of its minimum. Bonds were irregular.

Little of yesterday's strength was shown in the early part of today's stock market, declines being the rule. Reading, Union Pacific, Amalgamated and several other active issues fell back a point or more with fractional recessions in other parts of the list. Baltimore and Ohio and Mexican Petroleum, the latter with a one point gain, were the only notable exceptions to the dropping tendency which was accompanied by a small output of stocks.

United States steel was relatively firm than other leaders. A moderate rally followed.

**FOR RENT:**—2 story 5 room house with bath, 815 Murray. Call 1302 9th. Phone 1690 X. 29-3

**FOR RENT:**—Cottage 5 rooms with bath 1704 11th. 7 room 2 story Timmonds and 20th St. Phone 345. 29-1

**FOR RENT:**—Furnished rooms with or without board, 1 square from main car line. 915 4th. Phone B 431. 29-3

**FOR RENT:**—5 room two story house with bath at 817 Prospect St. Phone A 1584. 29-3

### LOST

**LOST:**—Small white purse containing \$3.50, between Pure Milk Co. and Harris Art Gallery. Phone 1028. Reward, 29-2

**LOST:**—Ladies' eipe near Woolworth's, also box of gold pins on 5th between Chillicothe and Market. Phone 716 R. 26-3

**LOST:**—Silver ring on 3rd St. near or Chillicothe St. Notify 1814 6th. 29-1

**LOST:**—Small black pocketbook, Friday afternoon between John and Flindley on Ninth containing nearly \$2. Reward if returned to 1012 9th. 2011

**LOST:**—White female beagle bound with tan ears. John Hane. 1634 12th. Phone 1416 Y. 29-2

**LOST:**—Pink scarf near Manhattan Hotel. Phone 1056. 29-3

**LOST:**—Saturday Pearl pin between 1622 5th and Lehman's store. Phone 1622 B. 29-3

**LOST:**—Pipe wrench between Offner and Gallia and lower mill lot. Phone 280. Reward. 26-3

**LOST:**—Flexible flyer sled on Christmas eve. Return to Louis Bernold, Gallia and Union Sts. Reward. 26-3

## CLOSING PRICES

**NEW YORK STOCKS**

Amalgamated Copper, 51 3/4.  
American Beet Sugar, 32 1/2.  
American Cotton Oil, 38 1/2.  
American Smelting & Refining, 55 1/2.  
American Sugar Refining, 102.  
American Telephone & Telegraph, 118.  
Anaconda Mining Co., 25 1/2.  
Atchafalpa, 82 1/2.  
Atlantic Coast Line, 99.  
Baltimore & Ohio, 68 1/4.  
Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 84 1/2.  
Canadian Pacific, 154 3/4.  
Chesapeake & Ohio, 40 1/2.  
Chicago & North Western, 122.  
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul, 88.  
Colorado Fuel & Iron, 21.  
Colorado & Southern, 21 1/4.  
Delaware & Hudson, 139.  
Denver & Rio Grande, 5.  
General Electric, 137.  
Great Northern pfd, 113 1/4.  
Great Northern Ore Cfs, 24 1/2.  
Illinois Central, 107.  
Interborough Met, 12.  
Interborough Met, pfd, 50 3/4.  
Inter Harvester, 88.  
Louisville & Nashville, 115.  
Missouri Pacific, 97 1/2.  
Missouri, Kansas & Texas, 8 1/2.  
Nashua Valley, 129 1/2.  
National Lead, 43 1/2.  
New York Central, 85 1/2.  
Norfolk & Western, 98 1/2.  
Northern Pacific, 99 1/2.  
Pennsylvania, 104 1/2.  
People's Gas, 116.  
Pullman Palace Car, 150.  
Reading, 143 1/2.  
Rock Island Co., pfd, 1 1/4.  
Southern Pacific, 82 1/2.  
Southern Railway, 14.  
Union Pacific, 116 1/2.  
United States Steel, 49.  
United States Steel, pfd, 104 1/2.  
Webb, 15.  
Western Union, 57 1/2.  
New Haven, 44 1/2.

## CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Washington dispatches telling of friction with Great Britain about shipping had a bearish effect today on the wheat market here. Many dealers showed a disposition to let go of holdings, and on the ensuing break in values the buying was only of a scattered sort. A continued downward tendency in quotations from Argentina counted against the bulls, and so too did an increase of the European visible supply. After opening 1-1/2c to 1-1/2c lower the market fell as much as 1 to 2 1/2c under last night before beginning to react.

Corn sagged with wheat, but only to a limited extent. The bears were assisted by reports of somewhat larger country offerings. Opening prices which were unchanged to 1-1/2c up, were followed by a general setback of 1-1/2c to 5-8c below last night's level.

Oats eased off, influenced by the action of other grain. Trade was light.

Free selling wiped out an early advance in provisions. Pig operators went almost in a body to the bear side.

Labor, a decided rally took place in consequence of assertions that liberal export business had developed after the break. Besides there were statements that the Argentine surplus would not be so heavy as reported and that Great Britain was releasing from detention a number of American ships. The close was unsettled at an advance of 3/4c to net.

Afterward the corn market rebounded, wheat having turned up, and then being a cold wave in prospect. The close was firm, 3/4c to 1 1/2c above last night.

**OPENING**  
Wheat: Dec., \$1.26; May, \$1.28 1/2.  
Corn: Dec., 66 1/2c; May, 73 1/2c.  
Oats: Dec., none; May, 54 1/2c and 5c.

**CLOSE**  
Wheat: Dec., \$1.27 3/8; May, \$1.29 1/2.  
Corn: Dec., 67 1/2c; May, 73 1/2c.  
Oats: Dec., 19 1/2c; May, 54c.

**TOLEDO GRAIN**  
Toledo, O., Dec. 29.—Wheat: cash and Dec., \$1.28 1/4; May, \$1.32 1/2.  
Corn: cash, 70 1/2c; Dec., 69 1/2c; May, 75 1/2c; July, 76 1/2c.  
Oats: cash, 52 1/2c; Dec., 51 3/4c; May, 50c.  
Rye: No. 2, \$1.11.

**CHICAGO PROVISIONS CLOSE**  
Pork: Jan., \$18.55; May, \$19.12.  
Lard: Jan., \$10.40; May, \$10.60.  
Ribs: Jan., \$10.15; May, \$10.50.

**MONEY**  
New York, Dec. 29.—Call money steady; high 3; low 2 3/4; ruling rates, 2 3/4; last loan, 3; closing bid, 2 3/4; offered at 3.  
Time loans dull, 60 and 90 days 3 1/2c to 4c; six months, 4 1/4c to 4 1/2c.

**SUGAR**  
New York, Dec. 29. Raw sugar firmer; centrifugal, \$1.07; molasses, \$3.12; refined steady.

**COTTON**  
New York, Dec. 29.—Cotton futures closed steady. Dec. 7.35c; Jan., 7.62c; Feb., 7.81c; Mar., 8.10c; July, 8.20c; Oct., 8.41c.

**COFFEE**  
New York, Dec. 29.—Coffee: Rio No. 7, 7 1/2c; futures easy; Mar., 6.15c; May, 6.34c.

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## Cloverseed; prime cash and Dec.

\$0.57 1/2; Mar., \$0.70.

Alfalfa; prime cash and Dec., \$0.27 1/2; Mar., \$0.45.

Timothy; prime cash and Dec., \$3.37 1/2; Mar., \$3.45.

## LIVE STOCK MARKETS

**CHICAGO**  
Chicago, Dec. 29.—Hogs receipts 42,000, slow; bulk, \$7.10 to \$7.20; light, \$6.89 to \$7.20; mixed, \$6.90 to \$7.25; heavy, \$6.85 to \$7.25; rough, \$6.85 to \$6.95; pigs, \$5.50 to \$7.20; cattle receipts 8,000, slow; native steers, \$6.40 to \$10.00; Western, \$5.10 to \$8.00; cows and heifers, \$3.15 to \$8.20; calves, \$7.25 to \$9.75.

Sheep receipts, 20,000, weak; sheep, \$5.80 to \$6.70; yearlings, \$6.85 to \$7.80; lambs, \$7.00 to \$8.55.

**CINCINNATI**  
Cincinnati, O., Dec. 29.—Hogs receipts 6,500, slow; packers and butchers, \$6.75 to \$7.15; common to choice, \$5.25 to \$6.25; pigs and lights, \$4.00 to \$7.15; stags, \$4.25 to \$5.25.

Cattle receipts, 200, steady; calves steady.

Sheep receipts 200, steady; \$2.50 to \$5.00; lambs steady.

**CLEVELAND**  
Cleveland, O., Dec. 29.—Cattle receipts 100, market steady; unchanged.

Calves receipts 600, market slow; good to choice real calves, \$9.00 to \$9.50.

Sheep and lambs receipts 1,000, market steady; unchanged.

Hogs receipts 5,000, market \$10 to \$15 lower; yorkers, light yorkers, heavies, mediums and pigs, \$7.00; roughs, \$6.50; stags, \$5.25.

**PITTSBURGH**  
Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 29.—Hogs receipts 1,800, higher; heavies \$7.45 to \$7.50; yorkers and pigs, \$7.55 to \$7.60.

Sheep and lambs receipts 1,000, steady; top sheep \$6.00; top lambs, \$8.90.

Calves receipts 50, steady; top, \$10.50.

**EAST BUFFALO**  
East Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 29.—Cattle receipts 100, steady.

Veals 100; active; \$4.00 to \$10.50.

Hogs receipts 6,000; active; heavy and mixed, \$7.35; yorkers \$7.35 to \$7.50; pigs, \$7.50 to \$8.50; stags, \$5.50 to \$6.00.

Sheep and lambs, 2,000; active; unchanged.

**PRODUCE MARKET**  
**CLEVELAND**  
Cleveland, O., Dec. 29.—Poultry alive heavy fowls and springers 14c to 14 1/2c; do light fowls and springers, 13c to 13 1/2c; turkeys, 20c.

Dressed poultry—good fowls and spring chickens, 15c to 16c; do light, 14c to 14 1/2c; turkeys, 22c.

Rabbits, \$1.00 to \$1.25 a dozen. All other markets unchanged.

**CHICAGO**  
Chicago, Dec. 29.—Butter higher; creamery 24c to 24 1/2c.

Eggs unsettled, receipts, 4,012 cases; at mark cases included 22c to 23c; ordinary first 30c to 31c; firsts 31c to 32c.

Potatoes unchanged; receipts 21 cars.

Poultry — alive — unsettled; springs, 11c; fowls, 11 1/2c to 12c; turkeys, 13c to 14c.

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## MAKE HIM HAPPY. GIVE HIM A SUIT



# FIRST CONCRETE FOR THE NEW C. & O. BRIDGE POURED THIS MORNING

The first concrete in the work of erecting a \$2,000,000 railroad bridge across the Ohio river for the C. & O. Northern at Sciotoville, was poured Tuesday morning at six o'clock by the Dravo Contracting company, who will do all the sub-structure work on the bridge. The concrete is for the base of pier No. 17, the main Ohio river bank pier.

The base of the pier is 12 feet down in solid rock and the large hole measures 66 feet long and 25 feet wide. No forms are necessary for the concrete for the base of the pier as the rock forms a wall on all sides.

No forms will be used until the concrete work reaches the top of the rock. It will take more than a week to complete the filling of the base.

The concrete is distributed to its destination from a large steel tower that rises 140 feet from the ground. Of the 27 piers to be built the Ohio river bank pier, No. 17, will be the largest and possibly the first to be completed. A large crowd of sightseers are almost continually on hand to watch the large number of men at work excavating and handling the machinery that mixes the concrete and lifts it to the top of the tower from where it is sent in long chutes to the forms to be filled.

Work on the coffer dam in the middle of the river has been stopped for sometime on account of the high river and it is not known whether the large ice floes have damaged that part of the coffer dam already erected. As soon as the water recedes work will be resumed on the coffer dam where the main river pier will be built.

## HAD LONG WAIT

Twelve hours was consumed by George and Albert Herdman, brothers, prominent farmers of McGaw, in traveling fourteen miles from their home to this city with a load of dressed hogs. They left home at one o'clock Tuesday morning and arrived at the Scioto river bank at four o'clock, where they were compelled to wait a half day for the ferry bridge. It was one o'clock Tuesday afternoon before they reached this side of the river.

## Reprimand Reported

A C. and O. ferry boat inspector, who dropped in unheralded Monday is said to have sharply reprimanded those responsible for unnecessarily holding the Chesapeake on one side for a period of two hours because of ice.

## Searched Houses

Police visited the Anderson and Pomington homes on Mulder road, armed with search warrants, Tuesday afternoon, but failed to find any stolen articles.

## Mr. Kricker At Home

George E. Kricker returned home Monday night from Hendersonville, N. C., where he has been visiting his daughter, Sadie, for the past week. The latter's condition has shown a marked improvement since she went to Hendersonville for the benefit of her health.

## May Recover

Ezra Shonkwiler, who recently shot himself in the left breast while handling a revolver in his home at Stockdale, was much better Tuesday and it is now thought that he will recover.

## Fred Smith In City

Fred Smith, a former Portsmouth cigar-maker, has just arrived back after an absence of several years. He was best known to his friends and acquaintances by the euphonious title of "Red Snapper."



## Who Can Help This Girl Solve Puzzle?

Now wouldn't this "riddle" the new fine diamond ring. There is a certain popular little girl clerk on Chillicothe street, who had such a delightful Christmas that it could not be improved upon, if it were not for one "fly in the ointment." Among numerous presents that came her way were two of exceptional merit, charm and costliness. One was a fine, warm, easy muff, the kind that gladdens the heart of any girl; the other was a

## Conditions Pitiful In Cotton Country

Cliff Kinney, who has been visiting Portsmouth relatives and friends for ten days, will leave Wednesday for Oklahoma City, where he is employed. Mrs. Kinney and daughter Louise will remain for a more extended visit.

Mr. Kinney bought many bales of cotton for his firm this fall and says that the conditions in the cotton growing sections of Oklahoma are pitiful. Hundreds are unable to sell a dollar's worth of cotton.

## BRIDGE WORK IS DELAYED

The A. J. Martin Company, which had hoped to complete the substructure for the new county bridge by January 1st, is still delayed by bad weather, and the loss of its foot bridge.

The company could pour concrete now but for its inability to get material across to the other side. The coping is done on Pier No. 4 and two lifts placed on No. 5. The bridge abutments also remain to be built.

## Believe Robber Had Eye On Store Safe

David Stahler expressed the belief that the object of John Bette's return to his hardware store the night he robbed it was for the purpose of blowing the office safe. He bases this on the fact that he could easily carry all of the plunder in his pockets on the first trip and besides he is a known safecracker. A certain official has told him that while in the Ohio penitentiary was called upon to open a big safe that had gone wrong in a big business house in Columbus, and did so with perfect ease, he being selected from among a number of expert rogues.

## COLD WAVE COMING

The government river bulletin Tuesday stated that rain would be followed by snow and a cold wave Wednesday. The river will start rising again tonight or Wednesday.

## In New Parsonage

Rev. Lloyd Strocker, the new Interstate Company, moved Tuesday to the new church parsonage, which is located on East Main street. The minister and family have ten household goods stored with the property on Brown street.

## Bonne Running

The ferryboat Bonne resumed her trips at the Point Tuesday noon, having finally succeeded in getting her floats placed. The Buena Vista auto bus is making trips to Pop Corn Point and transferring passengers by skiff. Henry Ruel's latest plans for rebuilding the bridge after all ice has passed out is to make it a 30 ft. span affair with double row of piling with a wedge shape at the heads and bound with iron girders to make it firmer.

## KNIFE USER IS FINED BY MAYOR

Edward Vanden, arrested in connection with the costs, Abrams had New charges last Wednesday for Attorney Nat. B. Gilliland for his failure to appear in court. Very little testimony was taken from a jury and was introduced as "Abrams' real defense" in 15 minutes with a knife and head swathed in bandages was arrested before Mayor Day showed that he had got the worst of it. Tuesday afternoon an appeal was taken to the county court, which was a charge of cutting with intent to wound. He was fined \$10 and costs which amount to \$16.00. Mayor Davis later

## 100 YEARS OLD

According to Howe's History of Ohio, Portsmouth reached the century mark, Tuesday, December 29, as on this date one hundred years ago Portsmouth was incorporated as a village.

Portsmouth may now be called "The Century City," having according to Howe's History attained the century mark this muggy, rainy, December day.

## 13-Year Old Girl Is Under Arrest

At the instance of Juvenile Judge Beatty, Deputy Marshal Martin Hall, of New Boston, arrested Emma Prater, a thirteen-year-old girl, living in Lakeside, Tuesday afternoon, on a charge of delinquency. After a brief examination before Judge Beatty, she was committed to the juvenile ward of the county jail to await further hearing. It is charged that she has been guilty of immoral conduct on numerous occasions.

She is the same girl who caused the arrest of Lee Weaver, of Star Yard, two weeks ago on a paternity charge, a charge which was afterward dismissed.

## Recommends Motorizing

Fire Chief W. A. McQuat is preparing his annual report and will strongly recommend the complete motorizing of the fire department, both for economy and efficiency sake.

## WITH THE SICK

Charles Wetta, of Kinney's Lane, is ill with tonsillitis.

Bernice Martin, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George Martin, is improving from a ten days' illness.

Marshall Distel, a Portsmouth brewery engineer, who has been laid up for some time past, is again able to be out-doors and feeling much better.

Miss Margaret Zahars, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zahars, of Eighteenth street, had her adenoids and tonsils successfully removed Monday.

Mary, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Gordon, of Fullerton, is seriously ill with uraemic poisoning.

Mrs. Henry Brown, of Fullerton, is ill with pneumonia.

## Will Move Monday

Sheriff-elect Pete Smith expects to move into the sheriff's residence on Court street next Monday. John Belcher, the outgoing official, will move his household goods to his remodeled home on the Hilltop the same day, after a four year's residence in the sheriff's home.

## Water Pipe Burst

A burst water pipe thawed out and caused a miniature flood at the C. & O. freight house in the West End Tuesday but all goods were removed in time to escape damage.

## In New Home

William Rickman and brother and their families of East Portsmouth moved to Zella, Ky., Tuesday.

## Columbus Visitor

Nelson Redden, assistant sporting editor of the Ohio State Journal, was in the city Tuesday en route to Vancueburg, Ky., to visit relatives.

## Baby Robe Lost

Police were notified of the loss of a baby robe at a downtown second hand store by some woman Monday evening. They failed to obtain her name.

## Will "Inspect" Man

Charles Wilson, the local B. & O. S. W. round house foreman, went to Jackson, Ohio, Tuesday, to examine a man who has just entered the company's employ as a car inspector.

## In Columbus

R. E. Scott, passenger agent of the N. & W., went to Columbus, Tuesday, to confer with District Passenger Agent John Bladen, of Cincinnati.

Miss Emadel Bennett, a popular school teacher at Group, and a daughter of Ex-Congressman J. B. Bennett, has resigned and will be married on January 12 to Elmer Stephenson, a prominent young attorney of Paintsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Turner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Becker and Messrs. David Stahler, Henry Klingman and Roscoe Davis, were entertained at the West Side home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stahler, Sunday.

## SOCIAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Chapman, of Linden avenue, entertained with a musicale Monday evening for the pleasure of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Chapman, of Williamson, W. Va., a bride and groom.

Piano music was rendered by Miss Alma Davis and Mrs. Thelma Bundy, of Clothier, W. Va.; vocal music, Miss Esther Thompson and little Miss Ruth Chapman; violin and banjo music by Messrs. Earl and Luther Chapman. At the end of the program a lunch was served. The guests were: Messrs. and Mesdames E. E. Russell, H. Bundy, C. Davis, Earl Chapman, E. A. Chapman, Misses Esther Thompson, Mary Coleman, Ruth Thompson, Irene Thompson, Messrs. Lee Kinschiller, Frank Davis, Chander Russell, Kenneth Russell.

Mrs. Clyde Semett will entertain the members of Mrs. David Evans' Sunday school class of the Sciotoville M. E. church on New Year's eve with a watch party.

Misses Ellen and Erna Watkins entertained Saturday evening with an elegant turkey dinner in honor of her aunt, Miss Minnie Hubert, and cousins, Misses Hazel and Leola Kerns, of Chillicothe. Other guests were Misses Lorraine and Edna Smith, Elsie Gall and Mr. Edward Kerns, of Chillicothe. The Misses Smith entertained the same party at dinner last evening. After dinner the evening was spent in music and games.

Mrs. George Bidell has gone home to Latonia, Ky., at the end of a holiday visit with her sister, Mrs. Edward Bremer, of Ninth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Ernest and little son, Finis, will leave Sunday for their home in St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. E. C. McFay and brother, Mr. Fred Barry, of Columbus, have returned from a short visit with their sister, Mrs. Butler, in Peebles.

A little sewing club which has not been named, met last evening at the home of Miss Bertha Bremer, on Ninth street, where there were present Misses Edna Revere, Olga Blum, Martha Phillips, Madeline Ruel, Ruth Misset, Ruth Fith, Hartene Ball, Genevieve Julien, Grace and Gladys Hughes, Helen and Bertha Bremer. The passing of dainty gifts was one of the pleasures of the evening. Sandwiches, pickles and fruit punch was served by the hostess.

The Dublin Daisy Rope Club will postpone this week's meeting until Thursday, January 7th, at the home of Mrs. William Southworth on Third street.

Misses Ellen and Sue Sprouse arranged a surprise for their brother-in-law, Mr. Ely Dunn, to celebrate his birthday anniversary Saturday evening when his friends gathered at his home and spent a merry evening. The guests brought with them delicious cake and fruit. The guests included: Mrs. Louisa Sprouse, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shonkwiler, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Larraque, Misses Louella Bennett, Bell Castor, Mary Kelley, Ellen and Sue Sprouse, Messrs. Frank Bailey, Elmer Chapman, Walter Sprouse, Frank Jordan, Carl Vinson and little Lucy Ellen Dunn and Mr. John Dunn. Mr. Dunn was the recipient of many handsome gifts in memory of the occasion.

Miss Gertrude Franz was hostess at last evening's meeting of the H. B. C. at her home on Market street. Art needlework was followed by refreshments. The members present were Misses Gertrude Butler, Edna Schaefer, Norma Peery, Marie Brunner, Elsie Wagner, and Freda Brunner. A watch party will be held New Year's eve at the home of Miss Butler on Court street.

Mr. Joseph T. Micklethwait, one of Portsmouth's prospering young attorneys and Miss Virginia Hildinger were married last evening at eight o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fair, uncle and aunt of the bride, at Du Bois, Pa. The wedding was not unexpected, it being a quiet affair on account of the recent death of



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the bride's sister, Mrs. Thomas Baird, who died suddenly last October when taken to the hospital for an operation. Miss Hildinger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hildinger, were killed last summer in an automobile accident. The bride is a beautiful brunette and a charming young woman. She has spent most of her time in Portsmouth, visiting at the home of her sister and has made many friends here, who will welcome her back to Portsmouth. Mr. and Mrs. Micklethwait are expected home Wednesday evening and will make their home for a while with the groom's parents. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Micklethwait, on Timmons avenue.

Mrs. Joseph Reiser and son, Master Abram Reiser, will leave Wednesday for a three weeks stay at Martinsville, Ind.

Milton Davidson has gone home to Chicago after spending Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Davidson, on Fourth street. Forest Davidson has gone home to Chicksburg, W. Va., after spending Christmas here.

Mrs. Guy V. Thompson was hostess at this afternoon's meeting of the Dalton Auction Bridge Club. Mrs. Finis Ernest, of St. Louis, Mo., and Miss Ruth Thompson played in the places of the absent members. Dainty refreshments were served at the card tables. Miss Elizabeth Watkins will be hostess at the next meeting.

Misses Kate and Barbara Baron have received a large box of elegant fruit from their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Baron of Tampa, Florida.

The Bigelow Woman's Auxiliary to the Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Neuberger, instead of with Mrs. Magee.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Moore and children, Robert, Katherine and Elizabeth, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore, of Third street. From here they will go to Wheelersburg to visit relatives.

Mrs. O. V. Gammon and two children, Irene and Taylor, spent last week with her brother, Mr. Floyd Lawson, and is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Della Allen.

Little Miss Dortha Wentz was five years old yesterday, and to celebrate the event her mother, Mrs. John Wentz, entertained the little girls of Mrs. Egbert's class of the German Evangelical Sunday school, of which little Miss Dortha is a member. The afternoon was spent in their little childish games, after which they were invited to the beautifully adorned dining-room, where

the little tots were served at one long table prettily decorated in pink and white. The birthday cake held five pink and white candles. The songsters were little pink and white jackets filled with candy. The little guests took their departure late in the afternoon wishing Dortha many more happy birthdays.

All members of the Portsmouth Federation of Women's Clubs, the Woman's Literary Club, New Century, Home League and Progress Clubs are invited to the organ festival to be given by the Holmes Club New Year's afternoon at the Second Presbyterian church, where Miss Leola Brown, of Columbus, formerly of Portsmouth, will present the program. Miss Brown is considered the finest organist in Columbus and recently presented a beautiful program of organ music in Youngstown.

Mr. Arthur Willey was called to Galax, Va., on account of the illness of his father, Mr. A. J. Willey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McFarland and son, Irvin, of Mineral Springs, Adams county, are visiting their Davis, of Court street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Peart and daughter, Katharine, are expected home Wednesday from Dayton where they have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Leonard.

Graham Revere will have as guest this week Mr. Mauger, of Paluskala, Ohio, a member of the Delta Tau fraternity of the O. W. I., Delaware.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Brown, who have been spending the holidays with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Flannigan, of Market street, returned to Chillicothe Tuesday.

The Otterbein Society of the U. B. church will meet Thursday evening at the church, at which time they will entertain the Young Men's Fidelity Society. All members of both societies are urged to be present. The official board of the U. B. church will meet Thursday evening, at 7:30, promptly.

Mrs. Frances McCalm was a guest over Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Dawson will leave Saturday for their home in Pittsburgh, Pa., after spending the holidays with their relatives in Portsmouth.

Miss Maude Brough, who has been spending the holidays at the home of Mrs. J. F. Singleton, of Sciotoville, will leave Wednesday for her home in Columbus.

The Portsmouth Reading Club held an interesting meeting last eve-

ning at the home of Roger Selby, on Gullia avenue, where there were twenty-five members present.

Mr. Maurice Coe read a paper on New Year's Resolutions; Mrs. William Schwartz read a poem from "Faintness"; the club quartette rendered vocal numbers, after which Victorrola music ended the program. Miss Helen Hardin and Mrs. G. D. Selby were guests. Refreshments were served after the program. Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Hardin will be hosts at the next meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Kinade are celebrating their 66th wedding anniversary at their home in West Union, Adams county, today.

The S. S. S. club, of members of the High School class of 1913 enjoyed an excellent dinner at the new McDermott hotel last evening. The afternoon was spent at the Waller home and in skating, after which the dinner was served in three courses. The evening was spent in dancing and music. Miss Margaret Quinn played the latest popular airs. The trip was made to McDermott on the 2:10 train, returning at nine-thirty in the evening. Those present were Misses Mary Sprecher, Ora Waller, Leola Shotts, of Marion, Margaret Ball, Leola White, Messrs. Clyde Finch, Samuel Stevens, Tenley Huddleston, Rich and Holt, Carl Baumann, of Columbus. All club members and other guests were Misses Helen Rowe, Margaret Quinn, Ruth Klingman, Mildred and Gladys Waller and Ollie Brown, Messrs. Frank Jordan, James Lynn, George Worley, of Columbus, John Folsom, Harold Runyan, Crowder Parkinson and Paul Waller. The party was chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Waller.

Miss Ruth Butler, of Chillicothe, is visiting her sister, Miss Gertrude Butler, of Court street, during the holidays.

Miss Mary Audris, a graduate nurse of Columbus, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Audris, of Jefferson street.

Miss Louise Small has issued invitations to a bridge party Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Henning Proutis, of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baker and family and Mr. Wm. L. Baker and family were Christmas guests of Mrs. Cecelia Baker, of Second street, where an elegant noonday dinner was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Thatcher entertained at six o'clock dinner at their home on Eighth street Christmas evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rice and son, Herbert, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Harrison and children, Erudie and Terrance, Miss Katherine Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Thatcher.



## Local Architects To Prepare Plans For Chillicothe School

Ritter and Bates, local architects, were awarded the commission for preparing the plans for the new \$80,000 public school building, recently authorized by the voters of Chillicothe, at a meeting of the Chillicothe board of education Monday evening. The vote was unanimous in favor of the local firm, which was entered in competition with some of the leading architects of the state. The new building will be also, lately fire proof and thoroughly modern throughout. Work will be started on the building as soon as possible.

## Solon Was Anxious About Patronage

All of the intelligence in the world is evidently not centered in the group of distinguished statesmen who will compose the next General Assembly of Ohio. Representative-elect W. R. Sprague of this county, upon his return from the caucus meeting of the Republican members, told of one

## To Begin Tomorrow On Garfield School

Ground will be broken Wednesday for the foundation of the new Garfield school building to be erected on Gallia Pike and Murt Road by Contractor James I. Burnes. The latter arrived here Tuesday from his home in Logansport, Ind. He will not submit very much of the work. He will put a good sized force of men to work and hopes to complete the excavating work in a few weeks and to rush the foundation to an early completion. The building will contain thirteen rooms.

## TERMINALS

Mrs. S. C. Semock, of 2962 Gallia pike, is confined to her home with a nervous breakdown. Little Normaline Franconese of Gallia pike, is suffering with a heating in her head.

The entertainment to be given in the lobby of the Y. M. C. A., Tuesday evening, will begin promptly at 7:15 o'clock. The entire program will be in charge of Miss Alma Davis and Mr. Harry Porter.

Tom Frazer and George Rutledge, two well known N. & W. employees, are to take a short vacation in a few days. They will spend their brief vacation in viewing the many wonders to be seen along the Atlantic seaboard. They will go to Norfolk, Va., next Saturday, and will visit several different cities along the seacoast where they will wade in the salt water and look for sea shells, sea crabs, and crawfish as well as other choice specimens commonly found at the seashore.

J. T. Carey, N. & W. division superintendent, returned Tuesday from Williamson, W. Va.

W. E. Duling, N. & W. weighmaster, who has been off duty for several days on account of a slight illness, is slowly recovering. C. D. Reed is filling his place.

The N. & W. hump force resumed work Tuesday morning after being off all day Monday.

N. & W. Train Dispatcher Albert Eckfeld, who has been off duty for ten days on account of illness resumed his work Tuesday morning. W. R. Bailey worked in Eckfeld's place.

Ernest Knouse of Hales Creek, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Vencer and Will and Charles Jackson of Gallia pike. Ernest was one of the several persons hit by a mad dog that ran amuck on Hales Creek several weeks ago, and took the Pasteur

treatment from Dr. Stewart of South Webster. He was the first person to be attacked by the mad animal.

Mrs. Harmon Vencer of Gallia pike, is slowly convalescing from an attack of heart trouble.

John Thomas, N. & W. stenographer in Superintendent J. T. Carey's office, will return to work Thursday after enjoying a two weeks vacation. Mr. Thomas and wife have spent the two weeks with relatives in Jackson, Ohio.

James M. Pugh, N. & W. brakeman, living on Poplar street, was struck in the eye with a water soaked snow ball when his train, No. 441-1054, neared Crum, W. Va., Monday afternoon. He continued on his run.

William Senate Holmes, N. & W. machinists' apprentice, employed in the N. & W. shops, is spending his holiday vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Holmes of Hales Creek.

Mrs. F. B. Osborne, wife of Secretary of Religious Work Osborne of the Y. M. C. A., is seriously ill at her home on Twentieth street. Mrs. Osborne fell last June and has never recovered from the accident. She has been ill at different times but never bedfast as she is now. P. B. Osborne and family formerly lived in this suburb and Mrs. Osborne has many friends here who are sorry to learn of her present serious attack.

**Will Leave On Trip.** Robert L. Giffert will leave Sunday for Brockton, Mass., where he will attend a conference of the salesmen of the shoe firm he represents in the Middle West.

**"Skip" Is Resting.** Owing to slack business the Interstate Transfer Company has taken its smallest auto his "Skip" out of service for the present.

## WHAT CAUSES COLDS?

This question and "How to Prevent Colds" is asked a thousand times every day. A cold is really a fever, not always caused by the weather but due to a disordered condition of the blood or lack of important food elements. In changing seasons food elements are essential because they distribute heat by enriching the blood and so render the body better able to withstand the varying elements.

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## MR. CLUTTS VERY ILL

Portsmouth friends of Joseph C. Clutts, Wellston capitalist, will regret to learn that he is seriously ill at Cincinnati with heart trouble that followed an attack of pneumonia. His condition is regarded as critical, but hope is not given up that he will recover. Mr. Clutts' many friends in Southern Ohio join in the hope that he will come out all right.

## WILL GO TO FLORIDA

Ed C. Shump, a local real estate dealer, will pilot another contingent of local business men to Fellsmead, Florida, shortly after the first of the year. Mr. Shump has sold a number of tracts of land in that vicinity to local investors.

## VISITS OLD HOME

Jacob Riddlebarger, a former Portsmouth transfer, arrived here from Florida Tuesday on his first visit home in 16 years.

Mr. Riddlebarger for the past several years has been employed on a fruit ranch in Florida. His last work in Portsmouth was to haul sand used in the construction of the Washington hotel. He is a brother of Warren Riddlebarger of Fourth street and a cousin of Norton Cunningham, proprietor of the Arlington hotel.

## Will Go To Shoe Market

Earl Pursell will leave Saturday for Boston to attend the shoe market there and to place orders for Spring shoes for the Tracy Shoe company.

Cornelius Molster, of 1123 Eighth street, is ill with a complication of diseases.

## The New Sun TONIGHT

The Barrett Players Present  
"Man on the Box"  
Comedy Drama in 3 Acts  
Night 8: 10, 20, 30 and 50c

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\$22.50 Suit or Overcoat now	\$18.00
\$25.00 Suit or Overcoat now	\$20.00
\$28.00 Suit or Overcoat now	\$22.40
\$30.00 Suit or Overcoat now	\$24.00

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\$5.00 Suits or Overcoats	\$4.00
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\$6.00 Suits or Overcoats	\$4.80
\$6.50 Suits or Overcoats	\$5.20
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\$11.50 Suits or Overcoats	\$9.20
\$12.00 Suits or Overcoats	\$9.60

20 Per Cent Discount on Mackinaws, Heavy Caps, Fur Gloves and Sweaters

## 20% Discount Sale The Criterion 20% Discount Sale

## Christmas Club A Mammoth Success

That the people of Portsmouth are developing into money savers, was shown Monday afternoon, when a regular stream of men, women, boys and girls wended their way to the First National Bank to join the Christmas Club. More than 450 joined the club on that day alone and it now looks as though the club membership would exceed 1,600, which will mean when next Christmas rolls around a sum, far in excess of the one given out the past Christmas, will be divided among the members. The feature has far exceeded the most sanguine expectations of the bank officials. So satisfactory has the plan proven that the bank has decided to keep the membership list open indefinitely, and a person will be privileged to join at any time he may see fit. Those who desire to learn more fully of the plan are kindly asked to telephone or personally interview Oscar F. Emmett, who is the teller in charge of the Christmas Club. Mr. Emmett had charge of the plan through the past year

## Steel Men On Trips

Stanley Hopkins left Tuesday for Cincinnati on a few days' business trip for the Portsmouth Steel Company.

John Neiderhoffer, who travels for this firm, will leave Wednesday for Kansas City, where he makes his headquarters.

## Had Big Hunt.

Tom Workman, a popular N. & W. conductor, rounded in home Tuesday from a big hunt up in West Virginia and promptly remembered Dr. Jos. Lake and Fred Bauman of the public safety department, with two fine rabbits each.

## Plasterers Elect

The members of the Plasterers' Union, Local No. 232, held their regular meeting Monday evening and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President, Ben White.  
Vice President, William McGraw.  
Financial Secretary and Treasurer, William Smith.  
A Recording Secretary was not elected, but this office will be filled at a later meeting.

## Hotel Project

Adolph Hurth, Jr., has revived his hotel project and has been discussing the same with contractors and material men of late with a view to coming to some definite decision within the near future. The plans call for a ten story modern and fire proof structure at the southeast corner of Third and Chillicothe streets.

## Huntington Man Is Hurt In A Fall

Jos. Cohen, a clothing merchant of Huntington, W. Va., slipped today, and fell in front of the David Stahler hardware store on Second street and was knocked unconscious for twenty minutes Tuesday.

Mr. Cohen received a scalp wound and was injured about the chest and was knocked unconscious for twenty minutes Tuesday.

man, who witnessed the accident, from the top of a ladder, while washing a window, rushed to the man's assistance, carrying him into the store and washing the blood from his head. He finally succeeded in reviving him. The sidewalk was perfectly clean, but a light layer of ice had formed over the surface during the night.

## Suit Is Settled

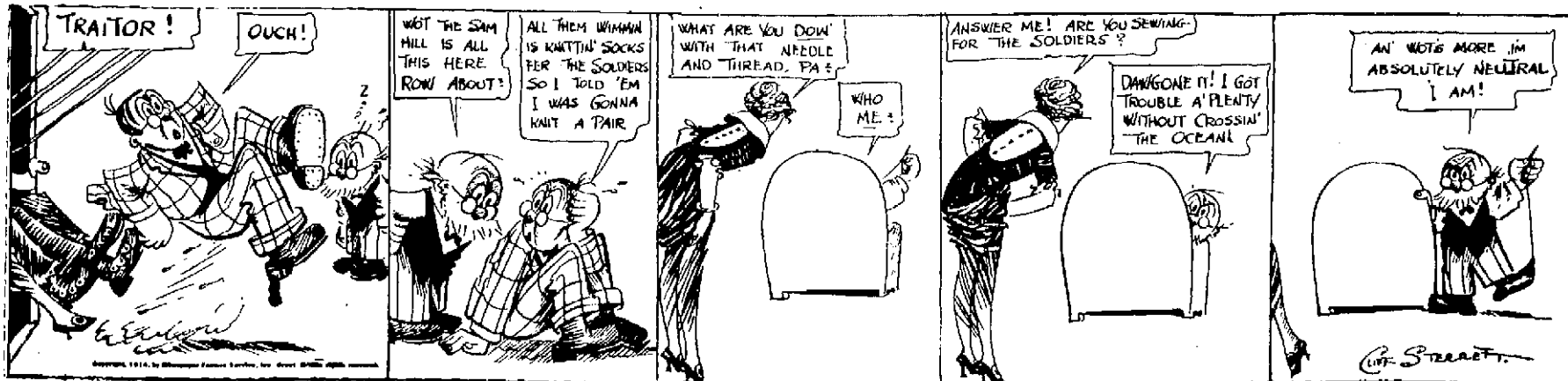
The \$3000 damage suit of Walter C. Gouillard against Bernard Augustin, Jr., filed in common pleas court several weeks ago, has been amicably settled out of court and an entry, dismissing the action, has been recorded on the journal. Gouillard claimed damages because of injuries received when the crank on Augustin's automobile truck "kicked back" while he was cranking the machine, the impact breaking his right arm, he alleged.

## Jury Is Called

Squire Finney has impounded a jury to hear the evidence in the \$2000 damage suit of Isaac Pyles against the Samuel Levi Company, which will be heard in his court Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. Pyles claims to have sustained injuries when a team of horses hitched to a wagon belonging to the defendant ran away and crashed into him at Gallia and Gay streets. The accident occurred during the Korn Carnival, while the plaintiff was demonstrating a concrete mixer. He is represented by Attorneys Giffland and Moreland, with W. R. Sprague as attorney for the defendant.

**Pine Porkers.**  
Charles Turner, prominent West Side farmer, butchered four fine porkers, Monday.

## POLLY AND HER PALS



CLICK, CLICK, CLICK, THE GIRLS ARE KNITTING.

# GREAT SHOWS AT THE COLUMBIA ALL THIS WEEK

## TONIGHT "The Fifth Man" A SELIG JUNGLE-ZOO FEATURE IN THREE REELS A WONDERFUL STORY OF FIVE YOUNG MEN

## Tomorrow

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She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, love, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio. Office Phone 50. Residence A-590.



Dear Dolly—When a boy calls on a girl should the whole family stay in the arbor while he is there? I am 17 and would like to have this question settled by one who knows.  
MARGARET.

Certainly the family should occupy the parlor and the whole house as though he were not there. It is not considered good form for all the family to leave the young people alone together, and the mother is very unwise who goes off to bed leaving the young folks in the parlor.

Dear Miss Wise—Are girls of 16 old enough to go out once in awhile with the boys?  
CHITMAS.

Some girls of 16 are old enough to go out with boys once in awhile others are not. Be guided by what your mothers say.

Dear Miss Wise—Please tell me what a chop plate is used for? I got one for Christmas, but don't know what to do with it.  
MRS. R. E. D.

A chop plate is to serve lamb chops on. As they are small and long they can be arranged in a circle.

Dear Dolly—I do housework and the front of my fingers and palms of my hands get cracked up. What causes it and what will cure same?  
GRETCHEN.

Having your hands in water so much probably causes the chapping that is so painful and troublesome. If you will put some of this lotion on your hands after you wipe them every time you put them in water, I think it will bring relief: 2 oz. of glycerine, 2 oz. of bay rum, 10 drops of eucalypti acid. The bay rum has no medicinal value and can be omitted if you wish. Use this lotion also before going to bed.

Dear Miss Wise—What steps should a couple take towards adopting a child from an orphan?

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Dear Dolly—Should a girl have anything to do with a boy who goes with different girls?  
LOUISE.

Certainly, if that is all there is against him. It is far better to take different girls, then rumor will not couple two names together persistently. In this way both girls and boys have a chance to be better acquainted with a larger number.

Dear Dolly—Please give me a recipe for pickled rabbit?  
HOUSEKEEPER.

After the rabbit is cooked seal vinegar in which a bag of mixed spices is suspended; add sugar to taste and when boiling pour over rabbit and let stand over night covered.

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Cake without Eggs—Bake together 1-2 cups sugar, 1-2 cup butter, 1 cup milk in which dissolve 1 scant level spoon soda, 3 level cups sifted flour, 1-2 teaspoon cinnamon, 1-2 teaspoon nutmeg, 1 teaspoon chopped, and floured raisins.

Dear Miss Wise—I am 26 years old and have had several chances to marry well, but foolishly let them slip by, for which I was sorry afterward. At present I am about to be engaged to a fine fellow from a distant city. Sometimes I am crazy about him, and then again, when he comes, I feel indifferent. Can you explain these moods? And do you think it advisable to marry him?  
M.

They are just the ordinary moods to which the average human being is subject. Ecstatic sentiment continued indefinitely would lead to the mad house or the grave. A period of calm does

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front of you for serving; or you could pour the tea and have your aunt serve. At each place put the knife and two teaspoons on the right, the fork on the left and the butter spreader in front of the plate, handle to the right. If there is soup, grape fruit or salad, that means more silver. The soup spoon then should be next to the knife, the orange spoon farthest to the right, as it will be used last. Have all the silver that will be needed for all the courses on the table, as it saves trouble in serving. When through with a course place knife and fork side by side diagonally across the plate. In passing plate for another helping, place knife and fork side by side on the plate, handles to the right. Guests should not fold napkins unless a ring is provided; then they are expected to use the ring. Bread should be buttered lying on the bread and butter plates and in small pieces. Never put your knife in your mouth under any circumstances. Never eat soup from the end of a spoon. Never make any noise in eating or drinking or clatter the silverware. All should be noiselessly done.

Wesley Mission I. T. L. met last evening with twenty-five present. The program follows:  
Song, "Trump, Trump, the States Are Marching."  
Scripture Reading—Mrs. Gilkerson, Proverbs 23, 1st to 18th, after which Mrs. Ward gave a beautiful temperance lesson, which was illustrated by the strongest man, "Sampson." A lion roared against him and rent him as he would a kid, and had nothing in his hand. To be strong, he did not dare drink. God entirely forbade intoxicating drinks to Sampson, and Sampson resisted that temptation all his life. Neither the color or sparkle of wine lured him away from that wholesome drink of water from the stream. There will never be another man as strong as Sampson, unless they resist that awful temptation as Sampson did.

Reading, "In the Footsteps of His Father"—Mrs. Sparks.  
The next meeting will be held Monday evening, January 11th.

Misses Kate and Ada Vigns will entertain their classes of Bigelow Methodist Sunday school Friday evening at their home on Summit street.

Miss Lorraine Schlechter will return home the last of the week after visiting friends in Cincinnati.

Master Richard Cunningham is recovering from a slight illness with chicken-pox.

Misses Linnie Heid and Nelle Goodard are spending the holiday vacation with their relatives in Haverhill.

The Progress Club met last evening at the home of Miss Lenora McManara, with Miss Lulu Newland as assisting hostess. The regular program was deferred until a later date on account of many of the members being out of the city. A special feature of the meeting was a passing party, the gifts being exchanged by numbers. The hostesses served a hot lunch at the end of the program. The members present were as follows: Misses Emma Clark, Anna Duesell, Marie Feire, Mary Lancaster, Julia Nickel, Blanche Stocker, Corn Swabby, Mame Myster, Mrs. Edson Toner, Mrs. George Youngman.

David Gardner left today to resume his studies at the Michigan University, Ann Arbor, Mich.

The Friday Afternoon Social Club will be entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. B. Lancaster, on Eleventh street.

The Second Street Whist Club will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. L. Watkins.

The Home League was delightfully entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Filmore Musser, on Park avenue, where there were seventeen members present. The scripture was read by Mrs. John Rottinghaus; Mrs. Laura Chick read an interesting Christmas story; and Miss Lydia Appel played a piano solo, "Chenequa."

Beautiful gifts were exchanged by numbering parcels and distributing corresponding numbers among the members. The rooms were in beautiful Christmas attire. In serving a delicious two-course luncheon at small tables, the hostess was assisted by Misses Grace Morris, Gertrude Elliott, Lydia Appel, Anna Merrill, Ethel and Isabel Musser. The souvenirs were pretty baskets made of red crepe paper, the green handle adorned with a red pom-pom and filled with delicious home-made candy. These were made by Mrs. Musser's very capable daughters. Those present were Mesdames G. R. Lockwood, O. T. Elliott, E. W. Chas. Isabel Thomas, Fred Baker, S. C. Chick, F. V. Knauss, Charles H. J. F. Morris, J. D. Jordan, Thomas Russell, Herman Pick, John

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Blankmeyer have returned from Cincinnati, Ky., where they spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. James Williams.

Mrs. Albert Schropp and son, Albert, of Huntington, are guests of Mrs. Pauline Schropp and family, of Eighth street.

Mr. Charles Rosenfeld, of Clarksville, Tenn., is the guest of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Labold, of Fifth street.

Mrs. S. E. Cone, of Cincinnati, will arrive in the city tonight to spend several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Schwartz and Mrs. M. S. Cotton.

Miss Grace Fisher, of the Selby shoe company office, has returned from a visit to her home in Peabody.

Miss Elizabeth Norris and Everett L. Wilkoff were visitors at Seaman, Adams county, Monday.

Miss Blanche Doyle, of the Central Union Telephone office, went to Haverhill, Mass., on business connected with that company.

Another delightful dance was given by the young people last evening in the Elk parlors, where there were twenty-five couples who danced to the entrancing music by the Davidson Orchestra. Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Kinney, of Cincinnati; Mr. and Mrs. Finis Ernest, of St. Louis, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Asa Dawson, of Pittsburgh, Pa.; Miss Mauda Parsons, of Huntington, W. Va. The guest list included Misses Elizabeth Watkins, Marie Bauer, Mary Davidson, Nell Turley, Martha McChes, Elizabeth Bannan, Mary Varner, Mary Anderson, Page Lewis, Lena Hauck, Helen Dunn, Allen Vincent, Annabel Hitchcock, Margaret Matthews, Fannie Druggan, Mauda Parsons, Messrs. Graves Williams, Forest Williams, Chalmer Davis, Stanley McCall, Frank Williams, William Bolles, Carl Hauck, Isadore Goodman, James Pearce, Charles Turley, Ludlow Lockwood, Ellisworth Williams, Paul Williams, Warren Briggs, Kearnes Watkins, Reuben Horehow, Harry Doerr, J. L. Watkins, Henry Wall, C. O. Dodson, Gilbert Waite, Ben Hitchcock, George Breese, Wallace Drew, Mrs. W. G. Williams, Mrs. J. H. Varner, Mrs. L. D. York, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hamon, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rerare, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Dawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Altman returned Tuesday noon from Cincinnati, where they have been visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Crabtree, for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leppin, of Pittsburgh, will return to their home Wednesday after a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Vencer, of Mount street.

## SOCIETY

A new literary club was organized last evening at the home of Misses Ada and Kate Vigns, on Center street. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Clark, Mrs. W. W. Smith, Misses Bertha and Edna Wilhelm, May and Lulu Sommers, Carrie Edgington, Ada and Kate Vigns.

The interesting program follows: A Sketch of Whittier's Life—Miss Bertha Wilhelm.

A Critical Study of Whittier's "Snowbound"—Club members.

Musical—Miss Edna Wilhelm.

"In School Days"—Miss Ada Vigns.

Light refreshments were served by the hostesses. The meetings will be held once a month at the homes of the members. The study will be the classical works of great writers. The next meeting will be held January 22nd at the home of the Misses May and Lulu Sommers.

The program will be the study of "The Bridal of Pennine." The members will include people living on the Hilltop. Other names will be added to the list. Masters Lawson and Wayne Clark were guests.

Misses Nell Turley, Mary Varner, Elizabeth Watkins, Mary Davidson, Mauda Parsons and Martha McChes, Messrs. Frank Williams, William Bolles, C. O. Dodson, Charles Turley, J. L. Watkins, Jr., Graves and Forest Williams and Ellisworth Williams will go to Trenton this evening to attend a holiday dance at the Princess club, returning home on the early morning train.

Mrs. Charlie Nichols' sister, Miss Louise Logan, has gone home to Columbus.

Miss Mary McManara, of Wheeling, returned entertained the following persons Sunday: Misses Mary and Rose Clark, Mr. John Peabody, Mr. Louis Lange, of Portsmouth, Misses Minnie and Anna Lane, and Miss Anna Hock, of Wheeling, and Miss Gertrude Hyland, of Franklin Furnace.

Miss Hyacinthe Romy, school teacher of Trenton, and a former high school student of this city, returned to her home yesterday, after a three days' visit with Ernest Schuskey, of 1912 Ninth street.

Mrs. J. H. Schuskey and daughter, Opelia, of 1912 Ninth street, are visiting relatives in Wabery, for a few days.

Mrs. George O. Newman, who left with Mr. Newman last week to visit her daughter, Mrs. E. H. Shaw, in Atlanta, Ga., arrived here safely and staid the trip very well.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Gardner, of Park avenue, will go to Cincinnati New Year's to attend the matinee at the Grand Opera House where they will see Mrs. Norma Hark Young in "Every Woman." On Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walker and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Chaudronne and daughter, Dore, will go to Cincinnati to see Mrs. Newman.

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\$1.00 to \$1.50 values in this lot.

Don't delay your coming, for there are only forty in the assortment.

Just 50 Children's Hats here that regularly sold for \$1.00 and \$1.50. **50c**

**A Hundred Untrimmed Shapes**

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Women's and Misses' styles in this assortment in Black Silk Velvet, and a big assortment of Colored Silk Velvets, too. These are medium and large shapes that have sold in a regular way at \$2.00 to \$3.00 each.

**Fancy Ostrich Feathers and Stick Ups**

At half price during this sale. A big assortment is here to choose from, too.

\$1.00 and \$1.25 values go at only **50c**

\$1.50 and \$1.75 values go at only **75c**

\$2.00 and \$2.50 values go at only **\$1.00**

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A style that is almost considered a staple article in any millinery stock, all go.

\$3.50 and \$4.00 values in Ostrich for **\$1.85**

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**All Trimmed Hats**

Including Pattern Hats, etc., Are Now About Half Price

Do not miss this big buying opportunity to get some wonderful bargains in High Grade Millinery at most to nothing prices.

## IF KIDNEYS ACT BAD TAKE SALTS

Says Backache is a sign you have been eating too much meat, which forms uric acid.

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sort of paralyzed and loggy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels, removing all the body's uricous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach aches, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get more, water test and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

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## KINDLING FOR SALE AT MISSION; BOOKS WANTED

There will be services in the chapel each evening at 7 p. m., except Monday, throughout the winter months.

The evangelistic meetings are now being well attended.

There is scarcely a meeting, but what same one is found at the altar.

Altar calls are given at every meeting.

Scarcely can an unsaved man come in and go out of these meetings without someone talking to him of his need of Christ.

The free reading room is being well patronized these winter days.

It affords a place where homeless men can get in off the street. Here are many good books, papers and magazines. In this room may be found from one to a dozen men most any hour of the day.

The Saturday free soup is being very attractive to laboring men.

Our 10 cent beds for working men are being well patronized. These beds are good, clean and warm.

Our clothing rooms will be open tomorrow from 12:30 to 5 p. m. This is an opportunity for those in need to get cheap clothing. Come in.

Our wood yard is flourishing, with at times a half dozen men working in it at once. We now have a large quantity of fine dry kindling wood, ready for sale, at 10 cents per bundle, sent to your door. If you can use any of this, please call B-100 and let us send you a few baskets in this way. You are helping the work. We want to ask the friends of the institution to aid us in making it co-operative industrial.

We want your old papers, magazines, books, newspapers, old wrapping paper, or paper bags—any waste paper. Call the hall and let us send our wagon for it. This is but asking for the crumbs from your table, just what you can't use, yet it will help our work.

**JOHN T. BREECE  
AT MEETING**

John T. Breece, of the Breece Manufacturing Company, has gone to Cincinnati to attend the annual reunion of the Kappa Sigma Pi or the Modern Knights of St. Paul. Homer Selby was to have attended the meeting, but was unable to do so at the last minute.

David H. Kemison, of Cincinnati, is president of the organization, which has about 15,000 American boys enrolled in its membership. The object of the order is to secure better environment for boys, to take them away from evil associates and place them in groups in churches, schools and Y. M. C. A.'s. The Kappa Sigma Pi is organized in eight foreign countries.

**BAD TROLLEY  
BREAK**

A serious trolley break occurred at Second and Chillicothe streets Monday evening, discommmodating traffic for quite a while.

The break was discovered by Richard Applegate, a driver for the American Steam Laundry. He rushed to police headquarters and gave the alarm. Soon word was sent to the street railway company and a force of men dispatched to the scene. Cars were swung around the curve by momentum until the line was repaired.

**Return To Columbus**

Deputy State Bank Examiner John H. Lange, who has been visiting relatives and friends here the past few days, returned to Columbus Monday.

**LADIES! LOOK YOUNG,  
DARKEN GRAY HAIR**

Use Grandma's Sage Tea and Sulphur Recipe and nobody can tell. Brush it through hair.

Gray hair, however handsome, denotes advancing age. We all know the advantages of a youthful appearance. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray and looks dry, wispy and scraggly, just a few applications of Sage Tea and Sulphur restores its appearance a hundred-fold.

Don't stay gray! Look young! Either prepare the tonic at home or get from any drug store a 50 cent bottle of "Weyl's Sage and Sulphur Compound." Thousands of folks recommend this ready-to-use preparation, because it darkens the hair beautifully and removes dandruff, stops scalp itching and falling hair; besides, no one can possibly tell, as it darkens so naturally and evenly. You moisten a sponge or soft brush with it, drawing this through the hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears, after another application or two, the natural color is restored and it becomes thick, glossy and lustrous, and you appear years younger.

**RETURNS TO  
NEW YORK**

After a few days' visit to Portsmouth relatives and friends, Will Ricker left Tuesday for New York, where he has been located for a number of years.

**Fisher & Streich  
PHARMACY**

CHILLICOTHE AND SIXTH STREETS  
Fall bulbs, Tulips, Hyacinths and Narcissus.

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## IMPORTANT PROBLEMS BEFORE HOUSEKEEPERS TODAY

The conservation of the health of the family.

Making the household budget, and deciding what percentage of income shall go for housing, food, clothing, education and recreation.

Serving meals that are well balanced and nutritious and that contain variety.

Finding time for recreation. Making the house practical and usable, as well as attractive and comfortable.

What is the greatest carrier of disease known to medical science, and how may it be controlled?

Of what should a child's diet consist the first three years?

Which foods furnish the body with energy?

Which foods furnish the body with heat?

Which foods keep the body in repair?

Attend the Home Economics Course at Wheelersburg, January 1 to 8, and hear Miss Betz and Miss Williams explain these important questions.

## BUTCHER WANTS TO BE DEPUTY SHERIFF

George Butcher, prominent young Republican of Madison township, was in to see Sheriff-elect Pete Smith, Monday, regarding his chances for the appointment as deputy sheriff. As the sheriff-elect was out of the city, his mission went for naught.

Butcher was an active applicant for the place prior to the appointment of Albert Weghorst, who declined the appointment.

Sheriff-elect Smith takes his office next Monday.

## Military Shoes Will Be Leaders

Military boots, finished in various shades of cloth-top and embellished with patent lace stays, will dominate the fall line of shoes, to be made during the approaching season by the Irving Drew Shoe Company.

This became a settled fact when the firm's salesmen arrived here for the semi-annual shoe congress, and laid great stress upon the need of

a complete line of military boots, which they found in great demand the past season. The boot is a very attractive one and has found great favor with the feminine sex.

Salesmen who are here for the sample building week include the Messrs. C. C. Bart, O. H. Baumgardner, C. S. Strayer, W. E. Bittner, F. J. Mail, B. H. Dabney, C. R. Maxwell, John C. Conroy and C. L. Spencer.

## WEDDING WAS KEPT SECRET UNTIL TODAY

A recent wedding which came as a big surprise to the bride's legion of friends in this city was that of Miss Thelma Chaffin of Ashland, Ky., and Mr. H. A. Bundy, of Huntington, W. Va., which was solemnized by Rev. Albert Marting at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. J. B. Thompson, of 1222 Linden avenue, on Christmas Eve. The bride has been the guest of her aunt for several weeks and the groom who came here to claim the girl of his choice.

While Miss Chaffin had been here but a short time she numbered a host of friends, and the couple were treated to an old-fashioned belling last Saturday. Many useful and valuable presents were showered upon them after the belling was over. They were the week-end guests of Mrs. Thompson, and left Monday for their future home in Huntington, where the groom is employed as a band saw filer.

## Deacons To Meet

There will be a meeting of deacons of the Christian church Wednesday evening after prayer meeting.

## Removed To Hospital

Mrs. Sarah Hill-Higgins, who has been ill at her home in the North End for some time past, was admitted to Hempstead hospital Monday. The city authorities previously warranted her over to the county.

## AT ONCE! CLOGGED NOSTRILS OPEN, HEAD COLDS AND CATARRH VANISH

Breathe Freely! Clears Stuffed-up, Inflamed Nose and Head and Stops Catarrhal Discharge. Cures Dull Headache.

Try "Ely's Cream Balm." Get a small bottle anyway. Just try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dullness and headache disappear. By morning the catarrh, cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone. And such misery now! Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drug store. This sweet,

fragrant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heats the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops mucus discharge and a feeling of clogging; soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake to-night struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucus dripping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless. Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

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The note read as follows: "This man will bring you a saw and you bring it to the back window tonight when the saloon closes. Place the saw, etc., on a long pole and hand them to me through the back window. Your brother, Guy Hughes."

This man, in handing the note to Hughes, told him he would be back later. Hughes' suspicions were immediately aroused and he reported the facts and delivered the note to Officer Callahan Smith. Close watch was kept for the man, but he failed to return, as promised, and the note was brought to police headquarters after the saloon closed. Betts and Hughes, who up to this time had been jointly occupying the upstairs cell room at the prison, were immediately separated.

Capt. Conner recalled that Betts' father had called to see his son earlier in the evening, in answer to a note he had written to him in the afternoon, requesting him to come. He was locked up in the cell room

with the boys for quite awhile. As soon as the plot became known, Officer George Harding was detailed to guard the Point and detain Betts, but learned he had already crossed the river.

The police, in view of the plot which they feel was hatched by Betts, will take no further chances and will immediately transfer him and Hughes to the county jail. A further search will also be made of the gasoline boat, "Elk," occupied by the Betts family, in the hope of recovering the three watches and \$1.90 in change still unaccounted for in the hardwood store plunder.

Ed Warden was questioned again at some length by the mayor, Monday afternoon, and he still protested his innocence of robbing the Hob saloon. He said he had been drinking heavily and shortly after the saloon closed went to his home. He had not yet given bond up to Tuesday morning.

The saloon robbery was discovered by Merchant Police Chief Hans. He was making his rounds through the alley, and although the Hob is not on his list, he noticed a rear door open and promptly reported his discovery.

The police believe that whoever the man was who delivered the note had gone out to get the saws and expected to send them to Roy Hughes by some boy, taking care to remain in the clear himself. Even with this plan, failing, he probably felt that Hughes himself might "fall" for the game and secure a saw, some money himself and deliver it to his brother.

The mayor has written to Hon. Charles D. Conover, of Lebanon, Ohio, congratulating him upon his election as speaker of the Ohio House of Representatives. The mayor expressed the hope that he

## The Mayor Weighs In With Congratulations

will be accorded the privilege to view at some time from the speaker's stand the workings of the next session. He and Mr. Conover are good friends and former associates.

Believe dog preferred ice floe to sedate old burg called Ironton.

A big bird dog perched on a cake of ice floating down the middle of the Ohio river was the remarkable sight witnessed by various people Sunday afternoon.

While passing Portsmouth the dog made one effort to come to this side, only to fall into the water. It managed to climb back upon the same floe. It was still on its "jig" as far down as the "Cottonwoods." Tom Bart, Dick Applegate and Harry Bart were among those who saw the dog. Tom ventures the opinion that the enter was from Ironton, had gotten tired of the village and knew of no other way of getting away from the place.

## SWITZER EXPLAINS WHY HE CAST HIS VOTE "DRY"

William Abrahams, secretary of the Labor Home Rule League of this city, is in receipt of a letter from Congressman H. M. Switzer,

explaining his vote on the Hobson nation-wide prohibition bill. Mr. Switzer, who voted for the bill, informs Abrahams that he took the vote of the Tenth district on the state-wide prohibition amendment at the recent election as his instructions, and as it gave a dry majority he considered it his duty to vote accordingly.

Abrahams wired Congressman Switzer a request to vote against the Hobson bill at the time it was being debated on the floor of the House.

## AT MEETING IN COLUMBUS

County School Superintendent E. D. McIlwain, and District Superintendents, Clark, Fullerton, Paul E. Croner, T. Ray, Saunders, and James Turner, and Principal J. D. Greeding, of the local high school are in attendance at the annual meeting of the Ohio Teachers' Association and kindred organizations which opened in Columbus Tuesday morning.

The sessions will continue throughout Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

In West Virginia

Coal Sabor left Monday on No. 16 for Bluefield and Buckhannon, W. Va., where he will visit relatives and friends for the next ten days.

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**"OHIO SPECIAL"**

Leave Cincinnati	Arrive Jacksonville	Leave Jacksonville	Arrive Cincinnati
8:15 a.m. (Daily)	9:15 a.m. (Daily)	9:15 a.m. (Daily)	8:15 a.m. (Daily)

**"FLORIDA SPECIAL"**

Leave Cincinnati	Arrive Jacksonville	Leave Jacksonville	Arrive Cincinnati
8:10 a.m. (Daily)	9:10 a.m. (Daily)	9:10 a.m. (Daily)	8:10 a.m. (Daily)

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# FLASHES FROM THE REAL CENTERS OF SPORT

## WITH YANKS ON ROCKS AND GIANTS SLIPPING, FED LEAGUE MAY GET FOOTING IN NEW YORK

New York, Dec. 29.—The Feds will make a master stroke if they place a team in New York for the 1915 season. Right now seems to be the proper time for the transfer of a franchise to the Big Town.

Some folks will argue that the Greater City will not support five big league teams—the Brooklyn Dodgers, Brooklyn Feds, New York Yankees, New York Giants and a New York Federal team—but that is a matter that never can be decided until the experiment is made. And the time seems ripe for the Feds to make the experiment.

The Yankees in 1915 will be a mighty uncertain proposition. Even if they change owners and get a first class manager it doesn't spell success for the Yanks, and it doesn't make them a drawing card. The Yanks need something they haven't got just now—first class players. There is little likelihood

of any of the other clubs in the big leagues donating a few players to the Yanks, because most of the other clubs are a bit shy on stars owing to the Federal rulings.

The Giants may draw as well next season as in other seasons, but it is doubtful. It is believed that the reign of McGraw in the baseball world is near an end. The Giants failed to grab the pennant last season and that lost

them some of their old drawing power. Furthermore, the Giants don't look overly powerful for the 1915 battle, and it is likely that they will not figure so very largely in the pennant battle.

The home town fans have soured a bit on the Giants of 1914. They have tired of seeing Merkle, Doyle, Snodgrass, Meyers and some of the old gang. They want to see some new stars shining. If McGraw puts a few

on display there may be a revival of interest in the Giants. If he doesn't, the fans may turn away from the Giants.

The Feds, as a league, have enough stars to distribute among eight clubs and give each club a major league look. In case a franchise is transferred to New York they could put a mighty strong team in the Big City and it probably would become a good drawing card.

## BOBBY QUINN TALKED OF AS MANAGER OF N. Y. CLUB

From Cincinnati Saturday came the information that "Bobby" Quinn, business manager of the Cincinnati Club, had been offered a similar position on the New York Americans.

The entrance of Quinn into major league circles would be welcomed by all major league owners who know him. He has won the reputation of being one of the most capable and most thoroughly liked men connected with the game in the minor ranks. Popular alike with players and club owners—a rare trait, let it be known—a man fully conversant with the national sport in its every phase, Quinn is an ideal man for the position.

If the new owners of the Yanks are as fortunate in their selection of a manager they will have a reasonably fair guarantee of much success.

## Times Specials Victorious, Likewise Play House Kids; Race In The Peerless Is Even

Team Standing  
Times Specials 21 10 11 233  
Play House Kids 21 11 10 233

Games Next Monday  
Times Specials vs. Wilson's Five, all-boys 1 and 2.  
Malavazos Kandy Kids vs. Play House Kids, all-boys 2 and 3.

Handy Kids  
District 1 2 3  
District 2 1 2 3  
District 3 1 2 3  
District 4 1 2 3  
District 5 1 2 3  
District 6 1 2 3  
District 7 1 2 3  
District 8 1 2 3  
District 9 1 2 3  
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## REPRESENTATIVE TELLS OF LEGISLATIVE CAUCUS

Representative William R. Sprague returned Monday night from Columbus where he had been in attendance at the caucus of the Republican members of the lower house of the next legislature. Talking of the caucus Mr. Sprague said that it was a lively affair and full of excitement until the ballot was taken that resulted in the election of Charles Conover, of Union county, as speaker.

While originally Mr. Sprague was in favor of Jackson for speaker, he became free from obligations when Jackson withdrew from the race and declined to follow the majority of the Jackson men in supporting a dark horse candidate. Instead he and several other of the Jackson supporters decided to support Conover, their votes insuring the success of Conover.

After the speakership fight was out of the way there was little difficulty in settling the contests for minor offices. Speaking of Mr. Conover, Mr. Sprague said that he impressed him as a fair-minded man, one who would not be a factionalist, but would endeavor to arrange committees and general work of the House with a view to securing the best possible service. Of the legislators in general, they impressed Mr. Sprague as being a pretty strong set of men and he says that he has every reason to hope for some splendid constructive work.

Senator W. D. Tremper, who was in attendance at the caucus of Republican senators-elect, also came home Monday evening. The senatorial caucus was considerable of a love feast, there being no contests for position. The various committees of both House and Senate will not be announced until later.

## HOUSE WAS FLOODED

While Paul Walker was on a business trip down in North Carolina and his wife was the guest of Mrs. W. S. Walker of Fifth street, a water pipe in his home on Logan street burst and the home was practically flooded. Mr. Walker stated Tuesday that his loss will exceed \$100. The plastering in the kitchen fell and valuable rugs and pictures in adjoining rooms were ruined.

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## K. of C. Band Coming O. K.

Ed Kean reports the newly formed Knights of Columbus band progressing nicely and hopes to add four or five members to the organization within the next few days.

## Water Pipe Bursts

A small water pipe in the home of Dr. and Mrs. George S. Mytinger of the Hilltop burst while they were visiting relatives in Cincinnati and caused considerable damage.

## Objecting To Splashing

The mayor has asked the street railway company to avoid splashing of muddy water at street crossings caused by cars running at high speed. He asks that the tracks be given immediate attention and suggests that a bulletin be issued covering a slow down order at such points.

## VESSEL IN DISTRESS IN PACIFIC OCEAN

Honolulu, Dec. 29.—A wireless message was received here today from the liner Sonoma, saying that the barkentine lugger was in distress south of the island of Oahu. A tug that was sent out returned here last night unable to locate the vessel.

## "GREEKS" WILL ENJOY BIG BANQUET TONIGHT

In the neighborhood of seventy-five Greek letter men are expected to attend the second annual banquet of the Southern Ohio Pan-Hellenic Association, which will be held this evening in the dining room of the Washington hotel, beginning at eight o'clock. The arrangements for the affair indicate that it will be one of the most enjoyable occasions of the holiday season.

Music will be furnished during the banquet by the Gusto Trio, while the Aeolian quartet, composed of W. D. Gilliland, Fred Lorey, Watson Goddard, and J. Adam Burkett will sing several selections during the evening.

Presiding Attorney Harney L. Small will be toastmaster during the after-dinner ceremonies, which will be featured by the following toasts:

"Why I Am A Greek"—Rev. John W. Dunning.

"The Other Fellow"—Dr. S. D. Ruggles.

## "Old Friends and Old Times"

—Orson H. Ogier.

"Fraternalities and Their Future"—H. Stanley McCall.

"Some Things The Others Forget"—Prof. Frank Appel.

The speaking program will be interspersed with selections by the Aeolian quartet.

## Pan-Hellenic Menu

Blue Points	Celery
Bouillon	Wafers
Muckinaw Trout	Potatoes
Olives	Sweet Pickles
Roast Turkey	Cranberry Sauce
Dressing	Sweet Potatoes
Creamed Asparagus	Pineapple Sherbet
Sweet Wafers	Grape Fruit Salad
English Plum Pudding	Roquefort Cheese
Half Baked Crackers	Cigars
Coffee	Cigarettes

## NEW BOSTON

Paul Lander, transfer man who has been seriously ill for several weeks, was reported to be resting easy Tuesday.

Mrs. A. J. Wolfe, who was near death's door several times, is slowly convalescing at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Nancy Bull on East Rhodes avenue.

Mrs. Hiram Smith, who was injured Friday when she fell down a flight of stairs at her home on Gallia pike, is getting along nicely.

John Slaughter and family have moved from Rhodes avenue to Grace street.

Charles Kiser of Mumm's Run sustained a badly sprained ankle in a fall Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Heston, who were formerly located in the village, are now living in Mohawk, W. Va. Mrs. Heston and daughter Myrtle were guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Thomas of Gallia pike last week.

Albert Carter of Pine street, was reported ill Tuesday.

The Jr. O. U. A. M. held their regular meeting Monday evening in the Davis hall but transacted only routine business.

The trial of Mrs. Caddie Vickers, who was arrested Christmas night for cutting her husband, scheduled for hearing Monday evening, was postponed.

Mrs. Edward Davis, formerly of this village, was visiting here Monday. She now lives in Indianapolis.

The next meeting of the members of the Republican club will be held the second Wednesday in January when arrangements for the big barbecue to be given on January 15 will be perfected. Several



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eral of the high officials elected at the last election will be present to favor the members with speeches. No word has been received from Governor-elect Frank B. Willis as to whether he will be present or send some one in his place.

The village council will meet in regular session next Monday evening.

The revival at the Christian church opened Monday evening at 7:30 with a large number in attendance. Rev. Joe Patton, formerly pastor of the church, had charge of the services and delivered a splendid sermon. Everyone seems to be very enthusiastic over the revival.

All the members are giving their personal attention to the revival and are lending their help in making the meeting a success. Rev. Orin Cullin will help conduct the revival meetings which will be held until the interest in the revival begins to lag.

Ten hoboes were given lodging in the village jail Monday night.

The village board of health will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the town hall to transact special business. This is a called session and every member is expected to be present.

The Oak street school and Stanton avenue school will throw open their doors next Monday after being closed for the holiday vacation.

The unexpected visit of Dr. Carl Emmert to his parents Friday played havoc with the wedding plans of Miss Margaret Emmert and Joe Scholl and Miss Florence Scholl and Wilbur Emmert, who had arranged to go to Columbus Saturday, and pay Dr. Carl Emmert and wife a visit and while in the Capital City have a double wedding performed. The wedding and trip was supposed to be a quiet affair but the plans of the young couple leaked out Monday.

Miss Emmert and Wilbur Emmert are the daughter and son of Phil Emmert, retired saloonist who has been seriously ill. Joe Scholl is a steelworker of the city and Miss Florence Scholl is his sister who works as operator for the Home Telephone company. No other date has been set for the wedding the announcement of which will be no surprise.

Miss Jessie P. Holmes is spending the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Holmes of Hales Creek. Miss Holmes is one of the village school teachers and says that the school work is progressing nicely. Miss Holmes said that Superintendent S. D. Eckhart is one of the best in these parts.

Paul Cratus, foreigner, is confined to his home with a slight illness.

Geneva, baby daughter of Mr. Ashland, who are visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Oliver Dailey, is seriously ill. The little tot fell a short time before the family left Ashland and it is feared sustained serious internal injuries.

There is no improvement in the condition of George Betts, who continues seriously ill with Bright's disease at his home near Tygart, Ky.

## TWO TOWNS VOTE WET

Woodsfield, Ohio, December 29.—Woodsfield voted Monday by a majority of 44 votes. The wets put 313 and the dries 269 votes. The village, which is the center of a large oil territory, is entitled to five saloons. No applications had been made today. Six years ago the village went dry by 49 votes.

Findlay, Ohio, December 29.—North Baltimore, a town of 2,500 in Wood county, voted wet Monday by a majority of 97 votes. A citizens' Anti-Saloon League conducted an aggressive dry campaign. Eight challenged voters were refused ballots. The vote was the heaviest in years.

## Goodbye To Money

Clay Parks, a negro who was sentenced to the workhouse for his attention of Ella Kimble, white, has made a demand upon the mayor for the \$16.60 taken from him at the time of his arrest. The mayor replying to Parks informs him that the money has been credited to his fine and costs and can not therefore be returned.

## Lawyers Are Busy

Judge Blair left Tuesday on a business trip to Columbus. Attorney R. E. Kimble is in Adams county on business.

## Operation A Success

Judge George M. Osborn is able to be back at his office again, having about fully recovered from another surgical operation he was forced to undergo two weeks ago.

## EXCELSIOR MAY GET IN ON THE BIG WAR ORDERS

Born of the fact that the Excelsior Shoe company is making samples of boots to be submitted to the various nations involved in the European conflict a rumor was current Tuesday that this firm had secured an order calling for a million pairs of boots to be made for the Russian government.

Inquiry at the plant as to the reliability of the rumor brought out this state from General Manager John E. Williams: "We are making a line of samples to be submitted to the warring factions and have high hopes of getting in on the immense orders that are to be placed with American shoe concerns, but we have no definite information now that we will be included in the list of firms to get the work. We believe we are 'warmer' than we have been and are going ahead with the samples just the same as if we would get a slice of this business. Our foreign agents are working energetically in our behalf and that is all we can say just now," said Mr. Williams, Tuesday.

The Haruguri Lodge elected these officers for the new year: Val Roth, O. B.; Max Tremble, U. B.; John Linck, secretary; Julius Herder, financial secretary, and Jacob Kalk, treasurer.

Louisa Lodge named these officers for the ensuing year: Mrs. Emma Barber, O. B.; Miss Katie Reinhardt, U. B.; Mrs. Margaret Seifler, secretary; Mrs. Pauline Heid, financial secretary, and Mrs. Mary Distel, treasurer.

Louisa Lodge will hold its annual installation of officers on Thursday, January 14.

Wesley McGarry, a veteran of the civil war, and one of Buena Vista's best known citizens, suffered a stroke of paralysis Monday, an dis quite ill. His right side was affected.

## Passed Exam

L. H. Workman successfully passed an examination at Roanoke, Va., a few days ago, and is now a full fledged passenger conductor of the N. & W. save for a uniform.

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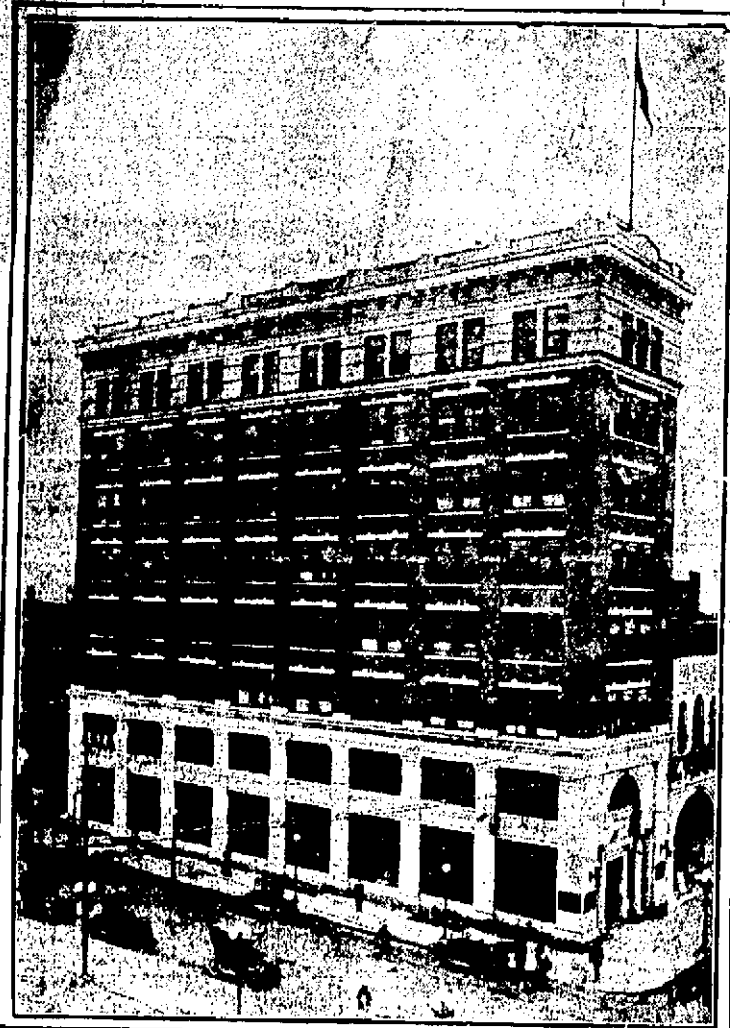
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## CONSCIENCE DRIVES MAN TO CONFESS TO CRIMES; IS ASKED ABOUT MURDER

Conscience stricken, John Kembleton, aged 24 years, who claims to be a former railroad fireman, surrendered to the police at Trenton Tuesday, declaring he had beat up and thrown a negro from an N. & W. train near Havertown two months ago.

Kembleton said he was unaware of the fate of his victim and also declared he had killed four or five other men. Officer William Howard thought the man was demented and locked him up pending an investigation. The local police authorities and the N. & W. division officials were notified of the man's detention.

The police of Trenton reported the arrest to the Lawrence county sheriff and constables, but they did not regard the man's talk seriously, for while they recalled having heard of a negro being thrown from a train, in fact two boys having actually witnessed the assault, they had never learned what became of the negro and hardly believed he was seriously hurt.

Kembleton was questioned about the murder of Detective James A. Baines. He disclaimed any knowledge of it further than what he had heard. But said he left Portsmouth on N. & W. freight train No. 84 the morning of the Sunday on which Baines was killed. The murder occurred at night.

Kembleton said he was lame and divided his time between the N. & W. yards of Portsmouth and Williamson, always sleeping in cabs. A cabman, who was found among his effects, he claimed to have been released from the Williamson jail a month ago having served sentence for "bootlegging" and that he had been in Portsmouth most of the time since.

Kembleton was also asked if he knew anything about the assault on George Edwards, an Ashland, Ky., man, who was thrown from an N. & W. train at Linwood some weeks ago, dying of his in-

### Transcript Is Filed

A transcript of the proceedings in the case of Squire F. M. McDowell, of Rush township, on December 26, in which the Squire, Oil Company, against a judgment against James P. Hurley for \$17.92, for goods sold and delivered, was filed in common pleas court Tuesday morning to be entered upon the docket.

### Hotel At San Diego

Squire W. P. McDowell, who has been very ill at his room in the Biggs House for some days past, is able to venture outdoors again. The Squire's son, A. C. McDowell, is now conducting the U. S. Grant Hotel in San Diego, Cal., where he will be glad to welcome Portsmouth people during the San Diego exposition.

### CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors, Rev. Brooks, and Dr. Quinn for the kindness shown us in our bereavement in the loss of our wife and mother. We also wish to extend our thanks for the beautiful floral offerings.

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## Interested In Suit

Judge A. T. Holcomb has returned from Trenton, where on Monday he looked after his interests in the W. A. Murdock suit against the Mettling Coal and Iron company with a view to protecting the lease of the Buckhorn Coal company, of which he is president.

In Ironton  
Chester Siler, in charge of the local office of the Ohio Inspection Bureau, went to Ironton, Tuesday, on a business trip.

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## Meter System For Water Is Suggested Again By Mayor

With a view of establishing a flat rate may be fixed as some plan for meeting the sinking fund requirement on the new city water works bonded debt, Mayor Erick recommends to Service Director Giergens that a meter system be installed.

The mayor would install meters in manufacturing plants, mercantile establishments, livery barns and residences for the purpose of ascertaining by actual measurement the amount of water used so

## MRS. MARY FINDEIS IS 85 YEARS OLD TODAY

Mrs. Mary Findeis, the venerable and widowed mother of Jacob P. Findeis, well known contractor, celebrated her 85th birthday anniversary with a family dinner at her home, corner Third and Market streets, Tuesday.

Only members of the immediate family were present. All were overjoyed to find the good mother in the best of health and spirits and it is planned to have her view the municipal Christmas tree in

## Neudoerfer & Silcox Company Incorporate

Among the list of firms incorporated merely to admit the last three rated at Columbus, Tuesday, were named incorporators into the firm.

The Neudoerfer & Silcox Company of this city, which is capitalized at \$200,000, the incorporators are L. E. Neudoerfer, W. C. Silcox, Elizabeth Neudoerfer, James S. Silcox and D. M. Jones.

Mr. Silcox stated Tuesday afternoon that the change from a partnership to an incorporation had no special significance, and was done, the basement of the building.

## SCHOOL BOY IS MISSING; PARENTS ARE ALARMED

The parents of Samuel Mosley, a 15-year-old boy of 2341 Ninth street, this city, are almost distracted over his continued disappearance from home.

The boy left on Friday, December 18th, presumably for a visit to his uncle, G. W. Hall, in Greenup county, Ky., receiving his parents' consent to go. He had \$1.50 with which to pay railroad fare and was last seen crossing on the upper ferryboat.

After a week elapsed without any word from him the parents became uneasy and started to investigate. The father, Samuel Mosley, an employee of the N. & W. car department, went to the Hall home, only to find his boy had never been there. He next visited his daughter, Mrs. Rebecca Matthews and Mrs. Susan Boggs, in Pike county, Ky., but they had not seen their little brother. Mr. Mosley continued his search in Ashland and Elliott county, Ky., without finding the slightest trace of his missing son. Returning home he took a run up to Leesville, where he has kin folks, but they had not seen the boy.

The mother of the boy is almost prostrated with grief, as she fears some harm may have befallen him, but the father thinks he may have taken temporary employment somewhere in Greenup county. He left home once before, remaining with relatives in Ashland for four or five days. The boy was a pupil of the Campbell avenue school.

## Match Game

Carl Kratzer, proprietor of the Bohemian pool parlors on East Gallia street and Brady Richards, a terminal employee, will play a 200 ball pool match Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, at the Bohemian pool parlors. Last Saturday evening Richards defeated Kratzer by a score of 217 to 191, and another close and exciting contest is anticipated.

## Answer Filed To The Neill Petition

An answer to the petition of George W. Neill praying for an injunction restraining the state authorities from tearing down his property on Market street, formerly the Neill foundry building, was filed in common pleas court Tuesday morning, by Attorney R. B. Sharp, representing the state fire marshal's department.

In the answer, Attorney Sharp reviews the incidents that led up to the condemnation of the building by the state authorities, and their efforts to raze it after the owner had refused to do so. He prays that the petition of the plaintiff be dismissed and the work allowed to proceed.

## Decision Reserved In The Distel Case

No decision has been rendered in the case of Louis M. Distel, heard on appeal before the State Liquor Licensing Commission, Monday. The board announced that it would take the case under advisement, and forward a written copy of the decision to the parties interested when one had been reached.

Distel was present at the hearing, and was represented by Judge John C. Milner, of the firm of Milner, Miller, and Searl, Messrs. Stahler and Sikes of the local board, which refused Distel's application for a renewal of his license, were also present.

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## Given A Belling

Frank Kuhn and bride were given an old time belling at the home of the groom on the West Side Monday evening. Mrs. Kuhn was formerly Miss Georgia Canaday, of Friendship. The belling crowd consisted of a number of young men from Dennis and Friendship, led by Charles Turner. The happy husband responded liberally.

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